THE OYEN NEWS

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Our Great Fall Clearing

SALE

Ends Saturday, Nov. 2nd.

We will not sell any goods after that date at sale prices.

Weather strip is needed on several windows and doors. We have in stock the celebrated Canadian line of weather strip.

J. L. Acheson

Hay and Feed Shipments Require Inspection

Every possible precaution will be taken by the Alberta Department of Agriculture to prevent the spread of noxious weeds from one section of the province to another under the arrangement recently reached whereby hay, straw and green feed and feed oats and barley will be shipped free of freight charges into those districts where additional feed will be required during the coming winter.

Any shipments of this kind it is announced by Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of Agriculture, must be inspected before being loaded, by an official of the Department, and for this purpose two inspectors have been appointed. In the part of the province south of Red Deer inspection of all such shipments must be made by W. G. Lawrie, 325–21st Ave. West, Calgary, and in the northern part of the province inspections will be made by Frank Stevens, whose headquarters are at the Field Crops Branch, Department of Agriculture, Edmonton.

Farmers who contemplate selling hay or feed for shipment under the provisions of the free freight tariff are advised that this hay or feed cannot be loaded until the vendor has secured from one of these inspectors a certificate of its satisfactory freedom from noxious weeds, and any person who proposes to ship feed under the free-freight arrangement would be well advised to communicate with the inspector for his district at the earliest possible date in order that such shipments may not be delayed for lack of inspection.

It may be pointed out that in addition to the area originally outlined in which the free freight tariff will apply the following lines have also been included: Irricana to Conwich, Nightinggale to Norfolk, Grainger to Langdon, Bassano to Dalemead, Gleichen to Langdon and Eomond to Arrowwood.

The regulations as originally drafted applied to baled hay and straw, feed oats, threshed or in the sheaf, and grain screenings. Feed barley has since been added to the list of feeds which may be shipped into the designated area under the arrangement whereby half the cost of such shipments is borne by the railway company, and half by the Alberta Government.

Get Ready For Winter

Ladies' plain or fancy Overshoes, medium or high top, latest styles, in colors Fawn, Grey, Sand or Black, selling at Special prices.

Men's and Boy's Rubbers and Overshoes, in many styles, at Special prices.

Now is the time for that Leather Jacket or Windbreaker. We have many different styles at Special prices.

15th year Anniversary Sale

This firm has been doing business in this community for 15 years and has decided to celebrate by giving the public an opportunity to get their winter supplies at reduced prices.

Early in November we will offer this complete stock at Sale Prices. It will pay you to wait for this Sale.

S. A. MILLER

Have YOU Hauled Your Coal Yet?

The man who delays getting his winter fuel put in may find himself caught unprepared, by the first big storm. *Then* will YOU be out hauling coal?—Or will you be enjoying the comfort of your fire-ide?

Don't delay. Your coal is here—the price is right. Get it today, while you are sure of a supply.

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BEAVER LUMBER COMPANY LIMITED

IN YOUR TOWN AND A HUNDRED OTHERS

Expect to Cement At Fuego To-morrow

The work of placing the two-inch pipe at the Fuego well, through which the cement will be carried to the bottom of the hole to cement-in the casing, will be completed this evening. The Haliburton Cementing Co. of Calgary, which has the contract to do this work, left Calgary to-day, and it is expected that the operation will be completed sometime to-morrow.

The hole is reported to be in excellent shape, and no difficulty is anticipated in completing this work.

Local Option Carries At Sibbald Oct. 29

A vote taken yesterday on the question of Local Option for Sibbald, carried by a 113 majority.

The result of the four polls was as follows:

	For	Against	Spoiled Ballots
Poll No. 1	34	23	1
Poll No. 2	39	22	2
Poll No. 3	111	27	3
Poll No. 4	7	6	-
Totals	191	78	6

CHRISTMAS IN THE

OLD COUNTRY

GO HOME THIS YEAR!

Your relatives and friends will not enjoy anything better than a visit from you.

WE HAVE MADE IT SO THAT YOU MAY TRAVEL COMFORTABLY AND EASILY FROM THE WEST TO THE OLD COUNTRY.

THROUGH SLEEPING CARS FROM WESTERN CANADA connecting with

SPECIAL TRAINS FROM WINNIPEG

for following sailings

From	Boat	Date	To
Montreal	"Andania"	Nov. 22nd	Glasgow, Belfast, Liverpool
Montreal	"Ascania"	Nov. 22nd	Plymouth, Havre, London
Montreal	"Laurentic"	Nov. 23rd	Glasgow, Belfast, Liverpool
Halifax	"Oscar II"	Nov. 25th	Christiansand, Oslo, Copenhagen
Halifax	"Stavangerfjord"	Nov. 25th	Bergen, Stavanger, Oslo
Montreal	"Megantic"	Nov. 28th	Glasgow, Belfast, Liverpool
Halifax	"De Grasse"	Dec. 7th	Havre
Halifax	"Pennland"	Dec. 8th	Plymouth, Cherbourg, Antwerp
Halifax	"Berlin"	Dec. 8th	Queenstown, Cherbourg, Bremen
Halifax	"Tuscania"	Dec. 9th	Plymouth, Havre, London
Halifax	"Cedric"	Dec. 9th	Queenstown, Liverpool
Halifax	"Gripsholm"	Dec. 9th	Gothenburg
Halifax	"Frederik VIII"	Dec. 9th	Christiansand, Oslo, Copenhagen
Halifax	"Lituania"	Dec. 9th	Copenhagen, Danzig
Halifax	"Athenia"	Dec. 14th	Belfast, Liverpool, Glasgow
Halifax	"Baltic"	Dec. 16th	Queenstown, Liverpool

LOW FARES DURING DECEMBER TO THE SEABOARD

Canadian National Railways

BOOK NOW TO GET CHOICE ACCOMMODATION

Get full particulars from Local Agent or write JOS. MADILL, District Passenger Agent, Edmonton

Shares at $5.00

The Fuego Oil Co. intends to put another drilling outfit at work in the field and are offering a limited number of shares at

$5.00 each

See us at our office on Main Street

The Fuego Oil Co. Ltd.

Clearing Prices of Millinery

All Felt Hats to be cleared. Your choice for $2.50.

All other Millinery to be cleared at reduced prices.

These hats are on display in the Case building.

Mrs. R. E. Gillespie

Subscribers

Your address label will show you the month of expiration if your subscription is in arrears, and payment of same will be appreciated.

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Oyen Theatre

Thursday, October 31

Grand Halloween Masquerade

Friday-Saturday, November 1-2

VILMA BANKY

—in—

"The Awakening"

Monday-Tuesday, November 4-5

"A Woman Against The World"

—with—

HARRISON FORD, GEORGIA HALE and GERTRUDE OLMSTEAD

Friday-Saturday, November 8-9

LUPE VALEZ

—in—

D. W. GRIFFITH'S GREAT PICTURE

"Lady of the Pavements"

A Special Attraction Showing at Regular Prices

Bright metal packages keep it always fresh.

"SALADA" TEA

'Fresh from the gardens'

The National Value of Radio

When the automobile began coming into use 25 or 30 years ago, it was looked upon as a luxury for the rich, another means of providing for their entertainment and catering to their enjoyment, but not to be regarded as a new means of transportation for the great masses of the people. Yet within the short span of a quarter of a century the automobile has revolutionized our habits and modes of living, until today the family that does not own a car is the exception, rather than the rule. At first it was the common practice to criticize the farmer who bought a car; now it is recognized as a practical farm necessity. What was to be a plaything of the rich has become the most popular means of transportation, and is seriously challenging the railways as carriers of freight for the shorter hauls. The automobile, too, has altered all preconceived ideas in road-building and the value and necessity of good roads.

Within even more recent years has come the discovery of the radio. This, too, was accepted at first as more or less of a plaything, something to provide pleasure in the form of musical entertainment in the home. Its value in this respect, especially in rural homes, and in towns and villages not enjoying the advantages which the large cities possess in the way of concerts and theatres, was quickly appreciated. Then came the broadcasting of grain and other market quotations, weather forecasts, live news bulletins, and information of general interest and value to the rural dweller, hours and days in advance of the time he would otherwise receive the same. As a result, within recent years, radio has been installed in tens of thousands of homes.

In a very notable way the value and influence of the radio has been extended in the last two or three years through the linking up of a number of stations through which programmes of exceptional merit are made available to all parts of the continent, even the world. One such chain after another has been created, but beyond one or two attempts, — notably the Diamond Jubilee broadcast from Ottawa, in 1927,—Canadian listeners-in have not had the benefit of Dominion-wide Canadian programmes, but have had to depend largely on United States stations.

All this is now changed, and this year Canada is being favored with Dominion-wide broadcasts, sponsored by large Canadian corporations, equal in every respect to the best that is presented in the United States. These Canadian programmes are now available several nights every week and the finest symphony orchestras and artists of the large Eastern Canadian cities can be heard in Western Canada homes. Not only so, but some of the outstanding musicians of Great Britain are being brought to Canada to broadcast over these Canadian chains.

In the past when outstanding statesmen like Rt. Hon. Ramsay MacDonald visited Canada, a comparative small number of people in Ottawa, Toronto or Montreal had the privilege of hearing him. On his recent visit to Ottawa, when he was the guest of the Government of Canada, at a tate dinner, hundreds of thousands of Canadians from Halifax to Victoria, listened to his inspiring address in the Houses of Parliament. His plea for international goodwill and world peace, his insistence that these could only be achieved through a "will to peace" on the part of the people themselves, was listened to by hundreds of thousands, and received by them in a direct personal message, couched in homely language, and reinforced with all the sincerity of which Mr. McDonald is capable. In other words, the Prime Minister of Great Britain was enabled to talk, not merely to President Hoover and Premier Mackenzie King, but to untold millions of people in the United States and Canada.

The national, yes, international, value of such addresses cannot be correctly estimated. The radio has become one of the most powerful factors in breaking down the suspicions, the ill-will, the fears, which exist and develop across international boundary lines. The fact that statesmen can thus appeal direct to the masses of the people, their own and those of other nations, must prove a tower of strength to the cause of true democracy and better world understanding.

Even so, the radio is still in its infancy. What wonders it will yet unfold to us in five, ten or twenty years, can hardly be imagined. It may bring improvements so vast, including television with the broadcasting of moving pictures and current happenings, and other developments as to make the radio achievements of today seem very crude indeed.

An Interesting Collection

Valuable Documents Presented To Library Of Toronto University

A collection of historic documents illustrations, maps, autographs and letters has been presented to the library at the University of Toronto by Henry Sproatt. It includes the first example of typography in Upper Canada, a speech made by Sir John Graves Simcoe, a proclamation made at Newark in 1795, and letters from of Sir Isaac Brock, William Lyon Mackenzie, Bishop Strachan and many other Canadians famed in history.

Origin Of the Farthing.

The English farthing gets its name from "fourth thing." Pennies hundreds of years ago were made of softer metal than today. They were also marked deeply across and down. This was that they might be broken in two, if something was wanted that was only a "half-penny." This again could be broken for something costing the fourth of a penny.

Earache

Heat an iron spoon. Place four drops of liniment and four drops of sweet oil in it, mix and put one or two drops in the ear.

MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

W. N. U. 1809

Who Invented Eye-Glasses

No One Really Knows Where Credit Should Be Given

Many million persons use them, but do not know who invented them.

Who did invent spectacles? This was one of the hardest questions which faced the recent London Congress of Spectacle Makers.

W. E. Hardy, one of the organizers of the congress, said that many years of study have been devoted trying to find out who first made eye-glasses.

"It is thought," he said, "that the credit may be given Roger Bacon, the English philosopher and scientist of the 14th century, but the situation has been complicated by the recent discovery of lenses in an old Carthaginian sarcophagus.

"There is no proof, however, that these lenses were used for defective sight; they may have been burning glasses. Spectacles came into general use in this country after the invention of printing."

A Dangerous Stunt

In England "wing-walking," a "stunt" among airmen of leaving the cockpit of their planes and walking along the wings, is liable to cause a great strain on the smaller machines. The Air Ministry have announced that if the practice is not stopped, it will be prohibited.

British Columbia Melons

Casaba melons, grown in the Oliver district, are meeting with a splendid demand on the Prairie markets. These are large melons of very fine texture. They are excellent shippers and will keep and ripen a long time after harvesting.

A New Musical Device

"Theremin" Has Tonal Quality Similar To Cello Or Violin

Now you can be a musician without ability.

All that is necessary is to hum a tune, wave your hands over a gadget created by the Radio Corporation of America, and you get a fine musical effect.

The new device is called the "Theremin" and has a tonal quality similar to the cello or violin. It was displayed at opening of the radio world's fair recently, having a place in the exhibit because it is operated by two antennae.

LIFE WAS A BURDEN

Health Restored Through the Use Of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

"I am writing to express my gratitude for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me," says Mrs. W. J. Dowling, Tottenham, Ont., and further says: "I was so badly run down that I felt that life was a burden. The doctor said my trouble was due to poor blood, but his medicine did not help me. My face was sallow, my lips bloodless and at the least exertion my heart would palpitate so violently that I would have to lie down. My feet and legs would swell and cramp, and all my friends thought I was in a decline. In this condition I was urged by a friend to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got three boxes, and to my delight, by the time I had used them I began to feel better. I got a further supply and kept on taking them. Daily I felt myself growing stronger. The color returned to my cheeks and lips and I felt a new interest in life. To sum up I can now say that I am feeling fine, for which I give the credit to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I strongly recommend to all weak girls and women.

A useful book, "Building Up the Blood," will be sent free on request by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or will be sent by mail, post paid, on receipt of price 50c. Try them today.

Demonstrates New Form Of Rejuvenation Operation

American Surgeon May Throw Light On Eternal Quest For Youth

Man's eternal quest for youth held the attention of a group of surgeons attending the American College of Surgeon's clinic recently, after Dr. V. D. Lespenasse, Chicago, demonstarted a new form of rejuvenation operation. Although the method has not given official sanction to this type of surgery, the operation is causing comment.

Phlebophlebostomy, meaning "vein to vein" in the surgeon's vernacular, forms the basis of Dr. Lespenasse's new technique. The surgeon joins certain veins in the lower abdomen, causing the blood to follow a different course and thus, it is claimed, revitalizing the glands. The operation does not involve the transplanting of glands or the use of glandular extracts.

Dr. Lespenasse, in 1922, performed a rejuvenation upon Harold F. Mc-Cormick, prominent Chicagoan. The surgeon said that his method had passed the experimental stage and has been used on many patients..

Dr. William A. Osborne, Melbourne, Australia, dean of the faculty of medicine and chairman of the cancer research committee of the University of Melbourne, was amongst those awarded honorary fellowships.

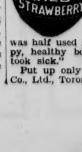
Feet Sore? Use Minard's Liniment.

A Big Yield

The farm of George Shields, east of Raymond, Alberta, yielded fifty bushels of Marquis wheat to the acre on a ten acre field. The wheat graded No. 1 locally. Several other farmers of the neighborhood have yields of 40 bushels to the acre.

Her Little Boy Was Very Ill With Summer Complaint

Mrs. Ray Fisher, Lebret, Sask. writes:—"For over a month, last summer, my little boy was suffering from summer complaint. He got so bad there began to be traces of blood in his stool, and anything he ate would not stay on his stomach very long. He became so weak he could not stand up. A neighbor recommended



"Discouraged and in despair I sent for a bottle, not expecting any more benefit than from the many other medicines I had used, but to my surprise I noticed a change after he had taken a few doses, and before the bottle was half used he was the same happy, healthy boy he was before he took sick."

Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

Peps
The Breathe-able Tablet
For COUGHS, COLDS & BRONCHITIS

Far North Is Favored

Air Mail Rates To Arctic Cheaper On Continent

To Canada's far northern outposts, Aklavik and Herschel Island, once absolutely remote from communication of any kind during the long, white months of winter, aeroplanes, manned by aces of treacherous aerial trails, soon will be winging their way on regular schedule, carrying to the trader, hunter and trapper, mail and merchandise from the "outside" and returning speedily with the products of the great wilderness — furs — for the world markets.

Commenting on the proposed aerial service, which is scheduled to start with the departure of the first 'plane from Edmonton on November 26 northward bound, Thomas Bower, postmaster in Winnipeg, points out the new air-mail parcel rates will be the cheapest service of the kind in America. There is, of course, no competitive service to consider and this is the paramount factor in the low rate. It will be cheaper to send a parcel from Winnipeg to Herschel Island by air than from Toronto or Montreal. The rates range from 50 cents per pound to Fort Providence to $1.00 per pound to Herschel, as compared with the charge of $1.55 from Eastern Canada.

To the distant posts of Aklavik and Herschel the air-mail schedule calls for three flights, November 26, January 21, and March 25, while to forts and trading posts "in between" weekly and monthly service, depending on distance, will be maintained.

Ready-Made Medicine.—You need no physician for ordinary ills when you have at hand a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. For coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchial troubles, it is invaluable; for scalds, burns, bruises, sprains it is unsurpassed; while for cuts, sores and the like, it is an unquestionable healer. It needs no testimonial other than the use, and that will satisfy anyone as to its efficiencies.

A Tip To Fishermen

All Fish Color Blind and Gaudy Flies Do Not Attract

That all fish are color-blind is the assertion of Dr. Thomas Hall Shasted, of Superior, noted wild life research worker.

"The fisherman who attempts the lure of the brightly colored trout flies," Dr. Shasted declared, "is foolishly working against an established principle of nature.

"Neither black nor white exist to the wary brook trout or grayling. All colors to them are a dull gray wall."

Sir John Martin Harvey

Appearing In Western Canada In "The Lowland Wolf" and "The Only Way"

For his latest success, which will be presented at the Grand Theatre, Regina, on Monday and Tuesday, November 4th and 5th, Sir John Martin Harvey has gone to the modern Spanish. The title is "The Lowland Wolf." From the pen of Angel Guimera, the play presents to Sir John a remarkable chance to show talents that have not been altogether displayed on his present Canadian tours.

The present tour of Sir John across the Dominion will be the sixth All-Canadian Tour that the actor has undertaken. On this occasion he will give the farewell performance of his greatest play "The Only Way," which has won so deep a place in the affections of Canadian players. There is little need to dilate upon the performance of Sir John Martin Harvey as the dissolute Sidney Carton, who lays down his life for the lady he loves. But probably all those who have not seen the play, and also all those who have already seen it, will be present at these farewell performances during the present Canadian Tour. Miss de Silva will appear in her original part of Mimi, and Sir John will bring with him a particularly strong Company, which includes many favourites who have already made themselves popular in the Dominion, and will be warmly welcomed when they appear at the matinee and night of Wednesday, November 6th.

Pacific University, Oregon, was founded in the pioneer days of 1849.

Stop falling hair with Minard's Liniment.

Made North-West Passage

Attempt Of Hudson's Bay Fur Trading Ships Was Successful

Three ships engaged in the fur trade and owned by the Hudson's Bay Company have between them forced the dreaded northwest passage, according to news reaching the Hudson's Bay Company offices at London, England. The ships are the "Bay of Chimo," "Fort James," and "Fort MacPherson. The "Bay of Chimo" left Vancouver last July and sailing through the dangerous Behring Strait, reached Point Barrow on July 24, and Cambridge Bay on South Victoria Island on August 25.

Last year the schooner Fort James, under the command of Captain Bush, sailed from Montreal and having wintered in the ice, began with the coming of spring a long fight to reach King William Land. Thh vessel was joined there by the "Fort MacPherson, which cruises within the Arctic Circle as a supply ship for trading posts and exploration purposes. The Fort MacPherson had sailed from Cambridge Bay, the farthest point reached by the "Bay of Chimo."

In this way, three vessels contracted to do what would have been impossible for one alone to accomplish. During the winter, locked in the ice, those aboard the "Fort James" endured great hardships and for most of the time were actually prisoners in the frozen waters. It is thought that the successful attempt to force this passage may mean that skins will be brought more quickly to Britain than in the past. An official of the Hudson's Bay Company declared that it remains to be seen whether such a journey is a commercial proposition. If this proves to be the case, the dangerous voyage from Vancouver through Behring Strait will be avoided.

High Grade Crop

According to the manager of the Canadian Wheat Pool, which markets the larger percentage of the wheat crop of Canada, most of this year's crop is going No. 1 and No. 2, and there is so little of the lower grades passing through the elevators that hardly enough of grades 4, 5 and 6 can be found to make up composite samples for grading purposes.

Mothers can easily know when their children are troubled with worms, and they lose no time in applying a reliable remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

To Establish Sheep Ranch

It is reported that a sheep rancher in Nebraska has bought eighteen sections of land at Finnigan, Alberta, along the river, upon which he intends to set out a flock of sheep numbering bout 20,000 next spring.

Wife (who has caught her husband squandering a penny on a fortune-telling machine): "Hm! So you're to have a beautiful and charming wife, are you! Not while I'm alive, Horace—not while I'm alive."

Don't dose a Child's Cold

CONTINUAL dosing upsets children's delicate stomachs. Vicks is applied externally and therefore cannot disturb the digestion. It acts in two ways:

(1) The body heat releases the ingredients in the form of vapors which are inhaled.

(2) At the same time Vicks "draws out" the soreness like a poultice.

acts 2 ways at once

VICKS VAPORUB

OVER 17 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

Discovers New Anaesthetic

Toronto Doctor Mayes Important Announcement At Meeting In Chicago

Cyclopropane, a new anaesthetic gas which does not interfere with normal functioning of the body, was described by G. H. W. Lucas, of the Toronto University, Department of Pharmacology, at the eighth annual congress of anaesthetists in Chicago.

Lucas said the gas was in an experimental stage, having been administered only to animals as yet, but expressed great hopes for its early adoption by hospitals.

Conquers Asthma. To be relieved from the terrible suffocating due to asthma is a great thing, but to be safe guarded for the future is even greater. Not only does Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy bring prompt relief, but it introduces a new era of life for the afflicted. Systematic inhaling of smoke or fumes from the remedy prevents re-attacks and often effects a permanent cure.

The Oddest Barber Shop

Probably the oddest barber shop in the world is run by a barber named Festa, at Islington, London, England. The walls, ceiling and floor are covered with thousands of small pieces of glass, painted all colors of the rainbow and in all different shapes. The total number of pieces of glass is about quarter of a million.

Feldspar In Canada

All the feldspar mined in Canada is of the potash variety known as orthoclase or microcline. Soda feldspar (albite) is known to occur but there is little demand for this variety and none is mined.

Alberta Wheat Pool Elevators

The Alberta Wheat Pool's 468 elevators are valued at $6,000,000. Eighty-five elevators were built this year and 35 purchased.

Needless Pain!

Nowadays, people take Aspirin for many little aches and pains, and as often as they encounter any pain.

Why not? It is a proven antidote for pain. It works!

And Aspirin tablets are absolutely harmless. You have the medical profession's word for that; they do not depress the heart.

So, don't let a cold "run its course." Don't wait for a headache to "wear off." Or regard neuralgia, neuritis, or even rheumatism as something you must endure. Only a physician can cope with the cause of such pain, but you can always turn to an Aspirin tablet for *relief*.

Aspirin is always available, and it never fails to help. Familiarize yourself with its many uses, and avoid a lot of needless suffering.

BAYER ASPIRIN

TRADE MARK REG.

STOCK EXCHANGE STAMPEDE WORST PANIC SINCE 1914

New York.—The remarkable era of avid public speculation in stocks which has swept over the country during the past five years, came to a climax in the most terrifying stampede of selling ever experienced on the New York stock exchange and other leading securities markets.

Not since the war panic which resulted in closing the exchange for 17 weeks in 1914, has Wall Street seen such a dark and trying day, and never in financial history have securities markets been thrown into such a tumult. It appeared for a time that the stock markets would be unable to face the situation and that trading would have to be suspended, but the leading exchanges saw the ordeal through, although a few floor traders collapsed and had to be aided from the trading rooms.

The situation became so grave that a hurried meeting of leading bankers was called at the office of J. P. Morgan and Company, and a reassuring statement issued from the conference by Thomas W. Lamont, one of the Morgan partners, finally checked the sickening drop of stock prices and saved the market from a complete impasse.

Scores of important stocks tumbled from $15 to $70 a share, paper values vanishing at the rate of tens of millions of dollars, when the bankers' statement prompted large operators who were reaping millions in selling the market short, to cover their commitments, and prices of many issues rebounded.

The stocks of six leading corporations at their low levels of the day on the New York stock exchange showed a loss in total market values of nearly $1,000,000,000. The market value of the total outstanding common stock of General Motors showed a loss of approximately $358,000,000, that of American Telephone and Telegraph Company $273,000,000; Radio Corporatino of America $150,000,000; U.S. Steel $78,000,000; Standard Oil of New Jersey $68,000,000; General Electric $64,000,000.

Total sales on the stock exchange reached the amazing figure of 12,-894,680 shares, surpassing by more than 50 per cent. the previous record of 8,246,740 reached in 1929. The ticker quotations service fell hours behind transactions and traders who were unable to get quotations from the floor proceeded blindly, save at intervals when a few stocks were sent out through the bond market ticker.

Closing prices presented a picture of havoc among quoted values, hundreds of shares selling at or near low levels for the year, and from $20 to more than $100 below the record prices reached in recent months. Nevertheless the price level at the time of the closing gong was found to be substantially above the bottom levels of the day, approximately half of the losses of the terrifying early hours of the day having been regained.

Attempts Life Of Italian Crown Prince

Assailant Said He Intended To Fire Into Air

Brussels, Belgium.—A shot was fired at Crown Prince Humbert, of Italy, as he laid a wreath on the tomb of Belgium's unknown soldier. The prince, uninjured, ignored the incident, but police arrested the assailant immediately. Infuriated, the crowd stormed the police station, demanding that the man be lynched.

The prince's assailant told the police he is an Italian named Enrico Dirosa, and was born in 1904. He said he had intended to fire into the air as a mark of protest. He arrived from France and was in possession of identification papers from that country.

The attempt was attributed in Rome, to resentment of anti-Fascists in Brussels against condemnation and execution recently, at Pola, of Vladimir Gortan, Jugo-Slavian "terrorist," who fired on a line of voters last election day.

Will Release Doukhobors

Ottawa.—Thirty Doukhobors now in jail in Saskatchewan, are to be released on ticket of leave, Hon. Lucien Cannon, solicitor-general, announced on request of Hon. M. A. MacPherson, attorney-general of Saskatchewan.

The Chinese Free Masons of the World in their convention at San Francisco pledged $100,000 for a peace temple in Shanghai.

Urges Free Speech

Best Way To Deal With Communists Says Miss McPhail

Toronto, Ont.—Miss Agnes McPhail, Canada's only woman member of parliament, in an interview referring to trouble between the local police and Communists, said:

"My opinion of the way to deal with the matter is to let the Communists have free speech. In the words of some one who spoke about Hyde Park, in England, Queens Park might be a real safety valve for Toronto exuberant Communists. The police have been making themselves the laughing stock of all thinking people. It is the silliest business I have heard for some time."

Renews Arts Competition

Eight Prizes Are Again Offered By Lord Willingdon

Montreal.—Lord Willingdon, Governor-General of Canada, has informed Sir Arthur Currie, principal of McGill University, by letter of the renewal of the Willingdon arts competition, inaugurated last year. Eight prizes in all are offered with a view of furthering and encouraging cultivation of art and literature. Four prizes of $100 each are offered for competition in music, two in literature of $100 each, one in painting of $100, and one prize in sculpture of $200.

Receive Severe Sentence

Chinese Dealers In Narcotics Given Long Jail Term

Vancouver, B.C. — Traffickers in narcotics received severe sentences at the close of the fall assizes, when Mr. Justice D. A. MacDonald sentenced Henry Chow, 25-year-old Chinese, to seven years in the penitentiary, a fine of $1,000 and 10 lashes. Chow was convicted of having cocaine and morphine in his possession.

Nip Gar, alias Jang Shee, 55-year-old Chinese woman, convicted of a charge of selling opium, was sentenced to seven years imprisonment and fined $1,000.

Will Investigate Tariff

Advisory Board To Discuss Applying To Cotton Goods

Ottawa.—The reference from the Minister of Finance to the tariff advisory board to investigate the fifty per cent. British content provision in the preferential tariff applied on cotton goods from Britain coming to Canada, will open here on November 7. This was decided by W. H. Moore, chairman of the board, following a conference lasting all forenoon between members of the board and representatives of the British high commissioner's office.

League Receives Notes

Geneva.—The secretariat of the League of Nations has received from the Canadian Government for registration and publication, copies of notes exchanged August 2 and September 19, 1928, by Canada and the United States with reference to an agreement for the exemption of shipping companies from income tax.

Less Unemployment In Britain

Montreal.—While unemployment is still a serious question in Great Britain, it is not so manifest as one might expect, according to A. T. Weldon, vice-president of the Canadian National Railways who has just returned from a trip abroad. The country as a whole, has the appearance of growing prosperity.

Will Be Guest Of Honor

North Battleford, Sask.—Premier J. T. M. Anderson will be the guest of honor at the annual rally sponsored by the Board of Trade, which will be held here Tuesday, November 12. More than 2,000 people attended the function last year when farmers from all parts of the district came in for the day's entertainment.

Relief Fund For Miners

London, England.—The fund for relief of distress among the families of unemployed coal miners has been reopened for the coming winter. Various grants have already been allocated and altogether about $2,500,000 will be spent. The distribution of relief will take the form entirely of clothing.

Sailing November Thirtieth

Tokio.—The Japanese delegation to the London naval conference in late January, will sail from here for Seattle, on November 30, proceeding from that city to Washington for a visit with President Hoover and Secretary Stimson before going to London.

Munich, Germany, was founded by the monks.

To Take Over Branch Lines

Statement Made That C.N.R. Will Operate Cranberry To Sherritt-Gordon Branch

Winnipeg.—Announcement is made that the branch line from Cranberry to the Sherritt-Gordon mine at Cold Lake will be taken over by the Canadian National Railways at the end of October.

It is expected that when the branch is taken over there will be a tri-weekly passenger service to and from The Pas and a daily freight service.

H. MacLean, president of the Dominion Construction Company, stated that work on the branch had been completed well ahead of schedule.

Local mining men believe that the taking over of the line by the C.N.R. will lend great impetus to mining in Northern Manitoba. Work on many promising prospects have been held up, they state, because of the exorbitant cost of taking machinery into the Cold Lake mining area by winter trails.

Believes Draft Satisfactory

Manitoba Cabinet Discusses Agreement For Return Of Resources

Winnipeg.—Tentative draft agreement for transfer of natural resources will probably be atisfactory to Manitoba, believes Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior. The Dominion minister conferred with members of the Manitoba cabinet on the first occasion for informal discussion of the draft.

With certain modifications suggested at the conference, the draft was considered to meet with the approval of the government. Every member of the cabinet was present, with the exception of Premier John Bracken, who is absent in the Old Country. Application of the Manitoba Power Company for extended pulpwood limits is to be considered at a conference to be held on Mr. Stewart's return from the west.

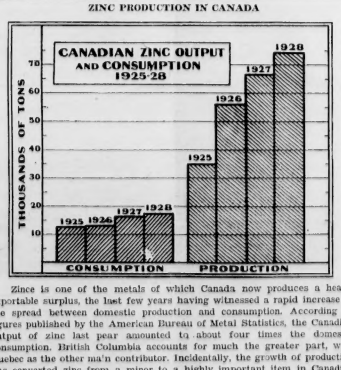
ITALIAN MINISTER TO CANADA MAY BE APPOINTED

Ottawa.—The appointment of an Italian minister to Canada was forecast in cable despatches received here, that Agostino Fermoni Di Ruffano, Italian consul-general here, would soon be transferred to Philadelphia and that he will be succeeded in Ottawa by Count Delfino Rogeri Di Villanova, counsellor and senior assistant at the Italian embassy in Washington.

The despatches forecasting that Italy would ultimately follow the example of the United States, France and Japan by appointing a minister to the Dominion has caused considerable interest in government circles. Some time ago there was a similar report with respect to Germany. The Department of External Affairs would make no official comment with regard to either report. However, there is a general impression that Canada's diplomatic services abroad will be extended. Germany and Italy appear as likely countries with which Canada would next exchange ministers.

Marquis Ferrante, in an interview, said that he knew nothing of reports emanating from London that his government would appoint a minister to Canada. "It is quite possible," he is quoted as saying, "but it may not be for some time yet."

ZINC PRODUCTION IN CANADA



Zince is one of the metals of which Canada now produces a heavy exportable surplus, the last few years having witnessed a rapid increase in the spread between domestic production and consumption. According to figures published by the American Bureau of Metal Statistics, the Canadian output of zinc last pear amounted to about four times the domestic consumption. British Columbia accounts for much the greater part, with Quebec as the other main contributor. Incidentally, the growth of production has converted zinc from a minor to a highly important item in Canadian mineral production, the value of the output last year exceeding ten million dollars.

GEOLOGIST RETURNS FROM NORTH

Fears for the safety of Geoffrey Gilbert, above, geologist with the Dominion Explorers, have been allayed by the news of his arrival at Fort Simpson. He was to have been picked up by the MacAlpine party and for a time it was not known whether he had been forced down with them or was awaiting their arrival. "Punch" Dickins brought him and three others out during an unsuccessful flight to locate the MacAlpine party.

Spirit Of the West

Nothing To Worry About, Newspaperman Tells Easterners

Toronto.—"The spirit of the west is steady and hopeful," said Thos. Miller, of the Moose Jaw Times, here for the meeting of the directors of the Canadian Press. Mr. Miller is a well-known western newspaper man and was a charter member of the Western Associated Press when it started in Winnipeg, 22 years ago. Also he farms himself on a considerable scale, being interested in three sections, nearly 2,000 acres, under cultivation in Saskatchewan.

"This is not a bad economic crop for the west," he said, "with 250,000-000 bushels of high-grade wheat. There was a great saving in operating cost, because we did not import a single harvester, farmers garnering the crop with their own labor, the combine harvester now widely in use being in part responsible. Of course, there are cases of individual hardship, some farmers not even saving seed, but these are being taken care of by municipal and farmers' organizations, and it is unlikely it will be necessary to ask Ottawa for financial help as was the case some years ago.

"We expect to get higher prices, and the sentiment of the west is behind the Wheat Pool in refusing to sell at bargain rates, proof lying in the fact that farmers not in the pool are also holding wheat for a rising market.

"Looking to next year, there were good rains east of Regina a fortnight ago, but not in the Moose Jaw district. The astonishing thing this season has been the remarkable showing on summerfallow seeded to spring wheat, where not a drop of rain fell throughout the growing season, and yet a six to 12-bushel crop was reaped. Our prairie soil is not like your soil down here, because when we get rain it goes into the ground and does not wash away. It is a remarkably open season, and we may get good rains yet, but if we do not there will be snow and frost seepage in the spring and good rains in May and June will put the crop on its feet. But it is too early to talk about the 1930 crop. Tell people in the east there is nothing to worry about in the prairie west."

Plans For Convention

Dominion Breeders' Association To Meet In Regina Next Month

Regina.—Preliminary arrangements for the convention of the Dominion Breeders' Association, to be held in Regina, on March 24 to 28, 1930, were given attention by the Saskatchewan Livestock Board, at a recent meeting.

A committee to take charge of these plans was appointed. It consists of C. M. Learmouth, J. G. Robertson, D. T. Elderkin, and R. A. Wright.

These Canadian Breeders' Associations meet in Toronto customarily, having met in the west previously only once. That was in Calgary a number of years ago. They are meeting in Regina, in 1930, on the invitation of the Saskatchewan Livestock Breeders and the Regina Board of Trade.

New Claimant For Earldom

Third Man Is Disputing Claim Of Alberta Rancher

London, England.—The dispute over the right to the earldom of Egmont, and the extensive estates near Ringwood, in Hampshire, has been complicated by the appearance of a third claimant, namely, R. Power, retired opticiân of Haydock, Lancashire. He claims to be a descendant of Hon. Philip Tufton Perceval, a brother of the fifth earl, Frederick Perceval, of Priddis, Alberta, is at present disputing the earldom with James William Perceval, 66-year-old baker of North London. The Alberta man was believed to be the heir presumptive during the late earl's life and on the death of the earl came to England, and for a brief time occupied the estate.

Freight Rates Hearing

Board Of Railway Commissioners To Consider Cases East and West

Ottawa.—Two important hearings before the Board of Railway Commissioners will likely take place this fall, when the request of the maritimes for lower grain rates over the transcontinental railway and that of Alberta in connection with coal rates will be presented.

No dates have yet been fixed for these hearings, and as yet no formal application has been received from the maritime provinces. It is expected, however, that these will be set within the next day or so.

No Political Rights

Mexico City.—The Department of Interior has ruled women have no political rights in Mexico, and hence cannot vote in the presidential elections November 17. Its ruling was in answer to a query of women's clubs in the state of Coahuila.

GRAIN STORAGE CRISIS BELIEVED TO BE NOW OVER

Winnipeg.—The grain storage crisis has passed. Yawning bins at country points contain more than enough storage space to accommodate the unmarketed portion of the 1929 crop. Farmers' deliveries are falling off and are being balanced by the movement to the lake head. And lake head bins are being kept level by grain boats steaming steadily eastward.

Attentive observers of the western storage situation regarded these omens with relief. They looked back on a car-rationing move during the first half of October by both the Canadian National and the Canadian Pacific railways; they remembered the four a month and more ago that Port Arthur and Fort William elevating might soon be filled to overflowing and that the yards would be crammed with loaded grain cars.

Just 60,000,000 bushels of wheat remain to be hauled to the country elevators by prairie farmers, it was estimated. And aggregate country storage on October 23—after a drop for the second successive day following continued rise for weeks—stood at 86,646,000 bushels. The bins still have capacity for more than 72,000,000 bushels, allowing range for 12,060,000 bushels of undelivered grain in addition to the wheat.

With grain deliveries falling off at present, it is considered only a matter of time before movement to the lake-head will show a corresponding drop. Handlers of the grain are desirous of having no more grain at hand in terminal elevators after the lake shipping season closes in November than is necessary to accommodate their winter needs. It is more economical storage in local elevators to the greatest possible extent.

MANITOBA MAY SOON CONTROL OWN RESOURCES

Ottawa.—Rapid progress has been made in regard to the natural resources agreement between the Dominion and the province of Manitoba in the last few days.

It was learned from cabinet sources that the Dominion has appointed O. M. Biggar, K.C., formerly the chief electoral officer of the Dominion, to act with A. B Hudson, K.C., representing the province of Manitoba, in the actual drafting of the agreement which will be submitted to parliament and to the provincial legislature at the next session of these bodies.

Prior to the appointment of these two lawyers to act as a committee, it had been stated that the proposal agreement already was in draft form. It is now stated that this was not the case. The officials of the interior department, apparently had drawn up a rough outline of an agreement, but had not attempted to cast it in final form. Mr. Hudson and Mr. Biggar, it is understood, had several lengthy conferences in Ottawa last week and this week, and while neither of them would discuss the matter, there is good ground for the belief that very rapid progress was made, and that except for a few points which must be submitted to the two governments for decision, the agreement is rapidly taking on its final form.

Just what these special points involve is rather difficult to discover. Cabinet ministers, in touch with progress being made intimated recently, that there was a doubt if the water powers would be returned to Manitoba, and if large areas of timber ought not to be retained by Ottawa. It was not suggested that the Dominion would insist in these matters, or attempt anyway to bring pressure upon the government of Manitoba. The point was, rather, that Manitoba might voluntarily agree to these resources being controlled in the future from the capital.

Succeeds Dean Ling

Saskatoon.—Dr. R. A. Wilson, head of the English Department of the University of Saskatchewan, has been appointed to the educational council of the province, succeeding Dean G. H. Ling, also of the University, Premier J. T. M. Anderson announced. The appointment is effective immediately.

Indian Wins Plowing Match

Ottawa.—A 17-year-old Indian boy showed modern agriculturists how to do their stuff recently, and won first prize in the international plowing contest against 369 opponents. George Barlow was the winner. He owns a farm, which he bought himself at Middleport.

Will Meet As Friends

London, England.—Two war opponents in German East Africa, General von Lettow-Vorbeck and General Smuts, will meet at a dinner of British and South African soldiers, sailors and nurses here on December 2. Smuts will propose a toast to his former opponent.

Kite Flying Record

Lancaster, Pa.—The world's record for sustained kite flying was broken at New Holland by John Garman and Treuman Diem, both 13, whose kite, the "Spirit of New Holland," had remained in the air 52 hours and 20 minutes.

Sails To New Fields

Galli-Curci After a Big Season To Tour the Orient

Regina.—Madame Galli-Curci will sing at The Armouries, Regina, on Wednesday, November 6th, before she sails to a new field, almost the final one on the globe that her rare voice and personality have not already charmed. The diva's tour of the cities of Japan and China, with concerts also at Manila, in the Philippines, starts in February and ends in early summer.

For a number of years letters have been coming to Messrs. Evans and Salter, managers of Madame Galli-Curci, insisting that the diva be spared by America long enough to tour the Orient. It was exactly the same, this long and positive insistence, before the diva made her tour of the British Isles, and later made a still more extended singing journey to Australia and New Zealand.

This season again starting in early October, the famous singer is booked solidly in concert for November and December. Again in January and the opening of February she is engaged for her usual opera appearances at the Metropolitan. Then comes the Galli-Curci tour in lands on which the sun rises first.

Typhoid---The Preventable Disease

Issued By the Canadian Social Hygiene Council

Typhoid fever is one of the most preventable diseases known to the world. Doctors have positively learned how it can be wiped off of the earth. What they need now to put the finishing touches on the job is complete co-operation of the people — that is to say, the rest of us, who have everything to gain when we lend a hand.

During the South Africa war, there were more deaths among the soldiers from typhoid fever than there were from bullets. But things have improved since that day, to such an extent that a well-known medical health officer said recently that for every case of typhoid fever there should be one case of hanging. Canadian troops in the Great War were inoculated against typhoid, and as a result not one died of it.

The doctor that first made that remark uttered something that sounds fantastic, but really is highly practical. Measures not quite so drastic, but nevertheless surprising, are already in force in at least one country in the world—Germany. When one case of typhoid fever appears in a town in Germany, the commissioners, the health officers, and the town councilmen, are haled to court and forced to prove that they were not negligent in allowing a case of typhoid to crop up in their town. If they can't prove it they are fined or sent to jail.

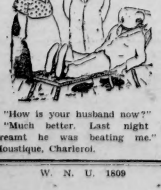
Every year, there are about 150,000 people who get typhoid fever, and about 25,000 people die of it, in Canada and the United States, two countries that ought to know better. When you figure, as actuaries do, that a child born to a family living on $2,500 a year, has a potential value to that family of $8,333, and when eighteen years of age, has a value to the country of $28,000, and at twenty-five, years, a value of $32,000 you will see how great is the financial loss alone from typhoid the preventable disease.

Typhoid fever is caused by a very tiny and prolific germ with many legs that looks something like a tadpole. There are some fluids in which it can move about—of which water is the chief one. The only things that it affects are human beings like ourselves, and then only when it passes into our stomachs in the food or drink which we swallow. It does great damage in the small intestine, *producing inflammation there* and small sores that may become ulcers. It is then that its victim has typhoid fever, and becomes worse, because once this typhoid germ gets in there, it multiplies with even greater rapidity than it did before.

The machinery in every city in Canada is sufficient to keep typhoid down if it is backed by the co-operation of the public. Those who live in places unblessed by adequate public health machinery should do two things—press for the organization of such machinery, and second, have themselves and their families inoculated against typhoid just as the Canadian troops were in France. Those who are not inoculated should at all times, when not in a place where the source of supplies is rigidly inspected, guard against the possibility of infected milk or polluted water. They should see that sewage is disposed of just as effectively as it is in the large cities, because this is one of the main sources of the disease. In such places, only water that has been boiled, and milk that is pasteurized should be used. No one should eat without first washing the hands. Flies and their breeding places should be destroyed, so that they cannot get at food that is to be consumed, nor carry the disease from a typhoid victim to someone else.

Remember, medical science has taught us how to stamp typhoid out. All that is needed now is hard work on the part of the human race, and the disease can be conquered forever.

Prince Edward having voted to retain prohibition the Temperance Advocate pays a compliment to what it calls the "tight" little island.



"How is your husband now?"

"Much better. Last night he dreamt he was beating me." —Moustique, Charleroi.

Trading Was Good

Automobile Salesman Proved Money Is Not Always Necessary

Competition, a man's worldly possessions in lieu of cash, and the Yankee trading instinct create some odd deals in selling automobiles.

One of the most unique is recorded in the September 13 edition of the Boston Globe. Involved were an energetic salesman, a registered cow, a new rowboat, a used car and a young bear cub of the black variety.

Harry E. Libby is the Hupmobile dealer in Wolfeboro, N.H. His star salesman, (and premier "swapper") is Leon F. Roberts.

Roberts had a farmer prospect who had no ready cash with which to buy a used car. But he did have a valuable cow. So the cow's ownership came to Roberts and that of the car to the farmer.

Obviously, a registered dairy cow is of little use in a modern automobile salesroom. So Roberts sold the cow to a neighbor. So well did the deal go that the star salesman visited a boat dealer in the nearby town of Center Ossipee, N.H. N. H. Nickerson, the village boat builder, bought a used sedan for which he paid in part with a new boat and an eighteen months old black bear cub.

Roberts sold the boat to a summer resident on Lake Winnipesaukee, and kept the bear. The latter is proving to be a much greater attraction in the Libby Motor Company salesroom than was the cow. Which goes to prove that automobiles can be bought by other means than by cash or deferred payments.

Report Will Be Delayed

Test Of Garnet Wheat By British Millers Is Encouraging

The report on the special shipment of Garnet wheat to Great Britain will likely not be made public until near the end of the year, it is stated at the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. It will require that length of time to gather all the data. Growers contend there is no real reason why Garnet should not grade Number 1, as it has milling qualities that entitle it to be in the first grade. The special shipment was to get the opinion of millers themselves. L. H. Newman, Dominion cerealist, and F. J. Birchard, of Winnipeg, are back in Canada, but await further data before making their reports. There will be no change in the grading conditions *as to Garnet wheat for this year's* crop. It is understood the test by British millers was encouraging.

British Aerial "Bulldog"

Adopted As Night Defence Machine For Protection of London

Said to be the world's most formidable fighting aeroplane, the Bristol "Bulldog" has been adopted by the Royal Air Force as a night defence machine for the protection of London. It is designed to climb rapidly to great altitudes and attack raiders. This aeroplane can attain an altitude of 20,000 feet, about four miles, in 12 minutes. At that height it can maintain a speed of 172 miles an hour. The engine of the "Bulldog" is super-charged to give high efficiency in rarified air. Pilots flying these machines will wear electrically heated clothing and oxygen masks.

Figuring Ahead

It was summer time and a farmer was showing his new laborer round the farm, at the same time explaining to him all the duties he would have to do.

When the farmer had given his list of duties, the laborer paused a little, and said: "What about cleaning all the snow from round the house?"

Farmer—"What are you talking about? There's no snow at this time of the year."

Laborer—"No, but by the time I have done my jobs there will be."

Use Peculiar Medicines

Peculiar folk medicines and treatments still exist in Wales. Goose grease, still held to for wheezing chests and sore throats, spiders' webs still have some vogue for cuts, and salt bacon is quite a favorite for boils and whitblows. About a year ago, on the advice of a "wise woman," a mouse was roasted alive and the pulverized ashes administered in porridge to a small boy who suffered from a childish ailment.

An Indian spider's web, only six inches wide, was found to contain over 41,000 meshes.

Eve had the best husband in the world—at that time.

The world contains an oversupply of average men.

How River Got Its Name

Some Interesting Facts About Stream In Southern Alberta

Under the heading "How Old Man Got Its Name" the Edmonton Journal in an editorial answers the query of a reader as to whether Alberta's "Old Man River" was christened under the influence of sentiment similar to that responsible for the song that is now enjoying so much popularity. "Thanks to the suggestion of a reader," the Journal says, "it is possible to satisfy one's curiosity as to the origin of the name of the Southern Alberta stream. In the valuable little volume "Prairie Place Names," which was recently prepared by Mrs. Perren Baker of Edmonton, and issued by the Ryerson Press, this passage occurs:

"The 'Old Man River' flows through an interesting piece of country called "The Old Man's Playground." Near the spot where the river issues from the mountains are three cairns, evidently very old. These cairns are wide mounds, several feet high, built of small boulders and rocks. It is thought that each Indian entering the mountains by this path added a rock for good luck. A little further on there are the remains of two old rectangles composed of larger rocks. There are many superstitions connected with the place. The Indians tell us that the Old Man, a mythical character, dug the channel of the river and lingered a long time in his playground before venturing down to the open plains."

Bushmen Are Long Lived

Hundred Years Not Considered Great Age In South Africa

Centenarians are common in South Africa, and unless persons are considerably over 100 their age is not regarded as extraordinary. A bushman, named Jordan, considered on excellent authority to be between 120 and 130 years old, claims to be South Africa's oldest inhabitant. He is only 4ft. 9in. high, and is still active, has good sight, but is rather deaf. His simple wants are seen to by kindly disposed people, so that the old fellow has no need to draw on his old age pension, which he is banking, he says, for a rainy day.

To Destroy Couch Grass

Fall Ploughing Tends To Destroy This Noxious Weed

The Field Crops Branch of the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture have issued a bulletin on the eradication of couch or quack grass. It points out that fall ploughing destroys much of this noxious weed and facilitates next sumner's work. The two methods suggested as being most practicable are the smothering method for small patches, and the dragging out method for fields badly infested.

Did His Best

Two nervous young men, with just enough time to get their tickets and catch the midnight for Boston, commanded a Red Cap in Grand Central to get them two ham sandwiches and a bottle of ginger ale, quick. In the bag one of them was a bottle of Scotch and they thought to have a nightcap or two. The Red Cap caught the gentlemen as they were hurrying through the gates, "Couldn't get any ginger ale, Boss," he said, "so I brought a bottle of milk."

The Nile has a greater variety of fish than any other river in the world.

Complete color blindness is extremely rare.

The Strength Of Metals

Tensile Strength and Hardness Of Metals May Be Greatly Increased

Metals diamond-hard, and 10 to 15 times as strong as those now used, are visualized by Dr. Zay Jeffries, of Cleveland, noted metallurgist and president of the American Society for Steel Treating. Strength of metal is being gradually increased by the new insight into metallic structure given by the X-ray's picture of "atomic society" and other modern analytical methods, Dr. Jeffries says.

Tungsten for example, assumes a strength of 650,000 pounds to the square inch when drawn out into a wire one-thousandth of an inch in diameter. Glass, drawn to the same small diameter, increases in tensile strength from 15,000 pounds to 492,000. Research has revealed that tensile strength and hardness of metals can be increased if the crystal particles of which they are constructed are made as small as possible, with faces of the crystals arranged as nearly parallel as possible, making them less likely to slip apart.

This is accomplished by fine drawing of wire; by dissolving one metal in another, and letting one of the metals separate out from solution in a fine precipitate; by heat treating; by forming chemical bonds, and by mixing fine particles of a hard compound or metal with another metal as a binder.

Some of the newly formed theories are being applied with success in production of aluminum alloys for aeroplane and motor parts, new hard surfaces for steel and superhard cutting metals for hard steels and stones.

Hard Wheat On Irrigated Lands

Vauxhall Farmer Secures Average Of 44 Bushels To the Acre

That crop rotation pays and that hard wheat can be grown on irrigated land is being successfully proved by the farmers at Vauxhall, Alberta. A. M. Brumwell has just finished threshing 6,160 bushels of No. 1 Marquis wheat on a field of 140 acres, an average of 44 bushels to the acre. This is the second crop of wheat on alfalfa land that was plowed under in 1928. Another field of 88 acres yielded 37 bushels. There are over 160 acres to be threshed, and Mr. Brumwell estimates that his average for the 400 acres will be better than 35 bushels to the acre. Mr. Brumwell is not the only farmer in the district who is raising No. 1 wheat on his irrigated land. The district's records show that in practically every case where wheat has been sown on alfalfa land it is grading No. 1.

Becomes a Japanese

Englishmen do, on occasions, change their nationalities for others, but for an Englishman to become a naturalized Japanese must indeed be a rarity. A Japanese, Tokuzhuri Sukuda, who is the richest banker in Japan, took back with him recently an English butler. Now it is reported that the butler has settled down on his own on a Japanese farm.

An Eskimo Naturalist

Far up in the frigid Arctic, Nagozruk, said to be the only licensed Eskimo naturalist, has gone into exile for the next nine months in the interest of science. During the long bleak winter, Nagozruk will collect specimens of mammals and birds on tiny precipitous King Island, 80 miles off the coast of Alaska, for the Chicago Academy of Science.

The liquid of the cuttlefish provided black ink for early Romans.

Buying Motor Cars On Credit

Criticism Of Statement Made By Premier Hertzog, Of South Africa

Spokesmen of western Canada's farmers have expressed their disapproval of an attack on "the disease of purchasing motor cars on credit" made by Premier Hertzog, of South Africa, at Bloemfontein. "Why pick on the farmer?" is the comment on the premier's opinion that too many rural residents are paying too much for motor cars due to easy-payment systems. But the premier has a backer here and there, too.

"Should the farmer be denied the privilege of buying on credit when the city man does? queries J. H. Evans, Manitoba's Deputy Minister of Agriculture. "There should be no line drawn between the two."

Actually, the farmer has even more right to buy on credit than many wage earners, believes J. W. Spears, assistant manager, Bank of Montreal; the wage-earner might find himself suddenly cut off from his income whereas the farmer retains his revenue-producing apparatus.

From J. H. Sibbald, secretary of the United Farmers of Canada, comes support for the warning of the South African prime minister that the government sooner or later may take stringent measures against the "menace." The more ruthless schemes for instalment sales of cars to farmers are "iniquitous," he believes. "The farmer is only gambling on his crop when he buys on the credit system; he has no surety of income and sometimes does not understand the interest rate which he is really being charged," commented Mr. Sibbald.

Not a Recent Invention

Patent For Diving Suit Granted In March, 1693

How long ago is it that the first diving dress was invented? One would suppose it to be a pretty recent invention (says "The Outline").

It is somewhat astonishing to find that a patent was granted to John Lethbon on March 17th, 1693, for "a new engine soe by him contrived as to permit a person inclosed in it to walk under water, and of a new invented way to force air into any depth of water to supply the person in the said engine therewith and for containing a lamp burning under water; also a way to deserate and purifye the air so as to make the same serviceable for respiration."

Origin Of Old Sayings

How Two Familiar Ones Came Into General Use

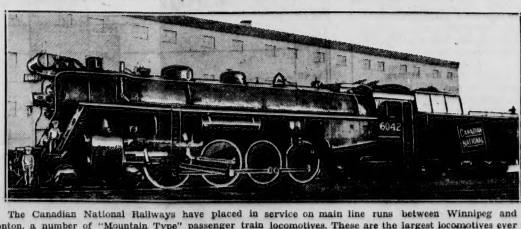
What was the origin of the saying "to let the cat out of the bag"?

In early days it occasionally happened that the farmer who took a sucking pig to market took also in another bag a cat, and when the unsuspecting purchaser had paid the price he discovered on reaching home that his bag contained a cat. If, being suspicious, he investigated before taking his bag home he "let the cat out of the bag." If he did not look into his bag he made the discovery that he had "bought a pig in a poke." Hence the origin of these two sayings.

A Nasty Hint

Lady Mary Heath, the English airwoman, said at a luncheon in New York: "Some people can be nasty anywhere. I know a man who succeeded in being nasty even in the giving of a Christmas gift. You see, his wife's mother had been staying at the house for some time, and his gift to her was a large expensive jar of vanishing cream."

GREAT LOCOMTIVES FOR WEST



The Canadian National Railways have placed in service on main line runs between Winnipeg and Edmonton, a number of "Mountain Type" passenger train locomotives. These are the largest locomotives ever used on the prairies and they make the entire run between Winnipeg and Edmonton without change. This is a distance of 801 miles. They are capable of hauling a train of 18 steel passenger cars at an average speed of 60 miles per hour.

The locomotive with tender weighs 540,000 pounds. It has a tractive effort of 50,000 pounds, and the boiler pressure is 250 pounds to the square inch. The diameter of the cylinders is 24 inches, with a 30 inch stroke. There are eight driving wheels with a diameter of 73 inches each. The tender carries 9,500 imperial gallons of water and 15 tons of coal.

The photograph shows the first of these locomotives to be used in the west. An idea of the height of the locomotive is to be had by comparing it with the boys standing on the pilot.

Route Used In Early Days

Old Cariboo Trail In British Columbia Has Romantic History

Swift planes overhead and fast motor cars on the highways today follow through interior British Columbia and eastern Washington one of the most romantic trails on the North American continent.

It is the Okanagan-Cariboo trail route of the early fur trading days, stampeding gold miners and huge big drives to the Cariboo gold diggings. Historical romance, dating from 1811, when David Stuart and Ovinde de Montigney went up the Okanagan Valley in the interests of Jacob Astor's Pacific Fur Company, await motorists at every turn. As he swings along the smooth gravel highway, he can see a few feet distant, tortuous trails over which hardy miners pressed their way in the early gold rush days of the 'sixties. For miles, this trail parallels the present highway. Here and there it disappears beneath the highway itself, only to emerge once more and again remind the visitor that he is following the steps of the adventurous pioneer.

Heavy laden pack trains of the Hudson's Bay Company, which in 1830, frequently consisted of as many as 500 horses carrying pelts worth $300,000, made their way over this route. Then came the gold strikes in the Thompson River and the Cariboo which in turn were followed by the cattle era. Today, the valley is a great fruit area and even tobacco has been the subject of experimentation.

It is an international highway, the boundary being crossed at Osoyos, B.C., or Orville, Wash. The valley is spelled differently on either side of the border, the Okanagan becoming Okanogan in Washington. The story is told that when Okanogan county on the Washington side was created, the legislaive bill contained a typographical error. Controversy over the correct spelling arose as the hour of adjournment drew near.

"Gentlemen," said the sponsor of the bill, "the important thing is to pass this measure at the present session. If we wish, we can amend the spelling at the next session.

The bill was accordingly adopted, but the amendment was never made.

The Influence Of the Table

By Theodore Roosevelt in "All In the Family"

One of the greatest institutions of the civilized world is the family dining-table. In literature and fable, writers have dwelt long and lovingly on the hearth. No doubt the hearth is important, but for influence the table has it far outdistanced. To begin with, the hearth is used only in winter when it is cold, while the table takes no account of weather. Then the hearth serves as a point of assembly but once a day, in the evening, while the table is used three times. Last and most important, the hearth holds only fire while the table holds food.

Just Telling Him

Two powerful stevedores who had had some sort of falling out, were engaged in unloading a vessel. Uncomplimentary remarks and warnings of intended violence were exchanged whenever the two passed each other with their trucks.

"You jest keep on peasticatin' around with me," declared one of the men, "an' you is gwine be able to settle a mighty big question for de sciumtific folks!"

"What question dat?" asked the other.

"Kin de dead speak?"

Not much Choice

Man in Pullman smoker — "Just got back from an auto trip through good old America. Here's the names of some of their cities: Szchekesfehervar, Pryzemysl, Vajda-Hunjad, Katchalinskaia, Hyrnsalmi, Serbrianskoi and Kazangorodok. Who wants to live in a land like that?"

"Yep, that's terrible. Where do you come from?"

"Illiecillevact, up in British Columbia."

"Daddy, when I marry, may I take the piano with me?"

"Certainly. But don't tell your fiance so."—Esquella, Barcelona

Dominion In Very Forefront Of Nations Adopting Aeroplane For Purposes of Business and Industry

An Eastern paper remarks that Canadians east of the Great Lakes are too much inclined to believe that, at the present stage of the national development, they represent the extreme of progress and that the west's claim to distinction lies more in potentialities than in actual achievement. Yet in one great, and the latest, side of that development, the east is mainly responsible for the current thoroughly erroneous conception of Canada's proper place in the field of aviation. In fact, many benighted Easterners must have learned with unfeigned surprise that in the year 1928 more passengers were carried by airplane in Canada than was the case in the United States, and that this superiority also extended to the volume of freight transported. This rather astonishing piece of information was recently supplied by the New York Times, with the comment that, as the Dominion's flying record is largely established out of sight of reporters and camera men, only occasional flashes reveal the expansion that has placed Canada in the very forefront of the nations that are adapting the airplane to the purposes of business and industry.

It is surprising, remarks the Times, to learn that Canada last year carried 74,089 passengers by plane, and 2,404,632 pounds of freight. Eastern Canada however, contributing only a comparatively minor proportion to this business of the airways. The only regular passenger route in the East is between Montreal and Albany, New York, though air-mail routes are more numerous and are steadily being extended to link up isolated and outlying points with civilization. But Easterners are not, generally speaking, developing airmindness, most of the 74,689 passengers mentioned by the Times being carried in areas where railways are not available and where the only method of transportation is a dog team in winter or a canoe in summer.

On the other hand, the New York paper notes, miners and prospectors have been quick to recognize the advantages of air-flight, and in northern Ontario and northern Manitoba freely use the airplane, thus saving weeks, or even months, when journeying to remote or inaccessible regions. Governments, too, are finding the airplane an invaluable assistant in the survey and plotting of the bleak and inhospitable region of the sub-Arctic, and before long few parts of the country will remain that have not, at least, been observed. Forest patrolling is now, of course, an old story, but the airplane as a means of fire protection and fire prevention is each year becoming of greater importance. In short, the development of the northern belt of the Dominion has been immensely expedited by the utilization of airplanes. One Winnipeg company is cited as having last year carried over 10,000 passengers, accelerating incalculably the exploring of mineral areas and knowledge of topographical conditions.

Alberta Co-Operative Association

Membership In Lethbridge Organization Is Increasing Rapidly

At the close of its ninth year of business, the Southern Alberta Co-operative Association, Lethbridge, had 1,635 members in place of the 40 provisional members of 1923. Five hundred new members came in last year when business aggregating $879,345 was put through. Produce marketed took 660 cars while stock handled included 28,700 hogs and 6,000 sheep.

Vikings Ran Smelters

The vikings ran smelters. The remains of a chieftain's house about 1,000 years old have been uncovered on the island of Gotland. The building was about 185 feet long. Lumps of burned iron were found with knives and arrowheads.

"Have you heard that Millers are having a divorce?"

"Why?"

"For love. They are afraid their love may not last." — Musketo, Vienna.

W. N. U. 1809

Increased Market Likely

Japan Will Buy More Canadian Lumber Says New Minister

Every prospect for an increased market for Canadian lumber in Japan is seen by Iyemasa Tekugawa, first Japanese minister to Canada, who passed through Winnipeg recently on Canadian Pacific lines for Ottawa. Importation of pulp wood, he said, would form the major part of greater business for the Canadian trade. The minister will return to the west shortly after presenting his official credentials to the Governor-General. He intends to study every possible point of contact between Canada and the flowery kingdom with a view to closer relationships, economic and otherwise.

A Manufacturing Nation

Canada is forging to the front as one of the leading manufacturing nations of the world. Half a century ago the Dominion exported manufactured products to the value of $3,000,000. Last year she exported more than $450,000,000 worth of manufactured products and nearly $200,000,000 worth of partly manufactured.

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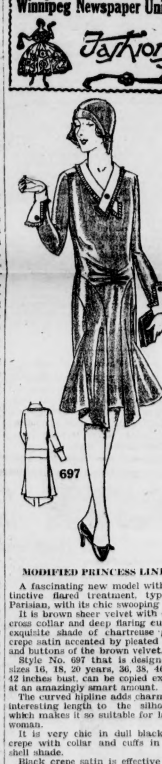

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A fascinating new model with distinctive flared treatment, typically Parisian, with its chic swooping lines.

It is brown sheer velvet with crisscross collar and deep flaring cuffs in exquisite shade of chartreuse green crepe satin accented by pleated ruffle and buttons of the brown velvet.

Style No. 697 that is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust, can be copied exactly at an amazingly smart amount.

The curved hipline adds charm and interesting length to the silhouette which makes it so suitable for larger women.

It is very chic in dull black silk crepe with collar and cuffs in eggshell shade.

Black crepe satin is effective with the hip yoke and flaring skirt sections, collar and cuffs cut of the dull surface of the crepe, and makes a very serviceable daytime dress for the women of limited budget.

Hunter's green canton crepe with beige contrast, printed sheer velvet in raspberry red tones, Copenhagen blue silk crepe and Lucerne blue sheer velvet charming selections.

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High Destiny For Canada

Dominion Must Be Go-Between For Britain and United States

The invitation to Canada to participate in the coming disarmament conferences is an indication of Canada's strategic position, its growing wealth and importance, and the part this Dominion must play in world affairs. Today it holds what might be called the balance of power between the United States and Great Britain. It is not too much to say that if permanently peaceful and mutually beneficial relations are to continue to exist between these two countries they will exist more easily if Canada carries out the role of interpreter.

In attempting so great a task this country is faced with no small measure of danger. The danger comes both from within and without. From within is the discord of party strife which might attempt to trifle with great issues in order to advance partisan policies. From without is the danger from the parties in Great Britain and the United States, who might set narrow national interests above the realm of square dealing.

Walking carefully and guarding against these dangers there is no doubt that a particular and high destiny is forecast for this Dominion. — Regina Daily Post.

Cannot Forget Their Ages

Members Of Negro Family Named For Year Of Their Birth

The Joneses will have no trouble forgetting their ages. The first grandchild of William Jones, and his wife, negroes, has appeared at the residence of 1907 July Jones, near Kingston, N.C. Children in the family have been named for the year of their birth. The new addition will be christened either 1929 July Jones or July 1929 Jones, the parents said.

Nineteen Hundred Jones is now a resident of Baltimore, while the whereabouts of 1908 November Jones is not clear.

Minerals Are Necessary

Very Important Ingredient In Food For Live Stock

The study of the various mineral ingredients of foods in the nutritive processes of the animal is now receiving widespread attention. It used to be thought that the amount of mineral needed in a ration was so small that they need not be bothered about, but our more recent research in this subject has shown how important this factor is, both to the health and well-being of our stock, especially since the greatly increased use of artificial feeding stuffs.

Aerial Forest Patrols

Aerial patrols of the forests in Saskatchewan in the summer of 1928 covered approximately eighteen million acres of country almost inaccessible in summer except by canoe. Sixty-one fires were detected by the aircraft.

New Zealand has over 130,000 cars apart from motorcycle and commercial vehicles, or one car for eleven persons, the same ration as in Canada.

Boy Scout Activities

Christmas Toy Repair Shops For Sending Out Toys To the Children Of New Settlers

Last Christmas the Boy Scouts of Canada had the rare privilege of playing Santa Claus to many thousands of children, little New Canadians. In Saskatchewan, toy shops were opened in nine centres where toys were repaired and distributed by the Scout Association to some thousands of children both of new settlers and of veterans.

Something of what this meant in happiness to the children themselves, and to their parents, was suggested by many touchingly appreciative letters. In many cases the package, with something for each child, came almost literally "out of the sky," like old Saint Nick himself, and turned a day of dreaded lonesomeness—with with nothing for the kiddies—into a day of laughter and happiness.

This year, in addition to the remembrance of local needy children, it is hoped to again make happy at least 5,000 New Canadian kiddies on the farms. Already a list of 800 new arrivals this year on prairie farms, has been received.

Some difficulty has been experienced in regard to covering the cost of mailing the parcels. The following device has been suggested,—that parcels for certain families be made up and addressed with the amount of postage required marked, and displayed in a store window along with a toy display, and a placard reading:

Santa Claus' Reindeer Need Help

Step inside and help Santa Claus by paying the postage on a parcel going to the kiddies of a family of new settlers spending their first Christmas on a Canadian farm in the west. The parcels were prepared by the Boy Scouts.

Makes Success As Farmer

Wins Cup For Best Farm In Province Of Alberta

The farm of Gustav Elgert, of Wetaskiwin, that won the trophy offered by the Edmonton Board of Trade, for the best field of wheat in the northern half of the province, as well as the cup donated by the Alberta Government for the best farm in Alberta, has yielded 46 bushels to the acre, on a 100 acre field, and graded No. 1 hard. The seed used has been developed by Dr. Seager Wheeler, of Rosthern, Sask. Elgert is another farmer who came to Canada with no capital at all and has made a striking success as a farmer.

From the Back Seat

Turn to the right, John! More to the right . . . . Now a little bit to the left! Too far—I told you so . . . Back—that's right—back a little more . . . . Turn it! John! That's it . . . . No! Will you ever get it? . . Gently . . . . Ah, now we can sit back in comfort . . . . Leave it there John . . . . I knew if I told you how to do it, you'd get station KOA.

The lichen, which appears to be one plant, is really two; one being a fungus which provides support and protection for the other which manufactures the food for both.

AMERICAN WOMAN AVIATOR

May Haizlip, one of America's foremost women fliers, who will pilot an Eagle biplane in 1929 national air tour for Edsel B. Ford reliability trophy. It is expected some 45 or 50 aeroplanes will take-off in flight, which will cover Canada and the United States.

Canada Now Ranks Fifth In Total Trade of World and Leads In Exports of Wheat

A Growing Industry

Egg Production In Canada Shows Consistent Increase

Illuminating and instructive in various ways is a comparison of the quantity and value of the farm eggs produced in Canada last calendar year and the corresponding figure for each of the seven years preceding. The result reveals clearly the consistent and unbroken progress made by the egg industry in the Dominion during that period. Intelligent and unremitting attention to improving the laying ability of the hen has brought a constant increase in the average production per unit until today it is nearly 92 per cent. greater than the average eight years ago. Within that period the number of egg-producing hens on Canadian farms increased by over 32 per cent., the number of eggs by approximately 60 per cent. and their total value by well over 100 per cent.

The progress made recently in egg production has been very considerable. Imports of shell eggs in 1928 were about the equal of exports, the Dominion for the first time over a considerable span producing sufficient eggs to meet the country's home requirements. Consumption of eggs in Canada has increased very largely, the Dominion being the heaviest egg consumer per capita in the world. But production is rapidly coming to take care of this situation, and the outlook in this regard is distinctly bright. In the early months of 1929 imports of eggs into Canada have been, on the whole, smaller than in the corresponding months of 1928, though it is to be noted also that exports are also correspondingly smaller.

No Doubt He Would

Woman Tells Station Porter How To Answer Questions

When does the next train for Leeds leave?" inquired the fierce-looking woman at the station.

"You'll have to wait five hours, madam," a porter told her.

"I don't think so."

"I do think so! Perhaps you know better than I do, madam?"

"Yes, my man, and perhaps you know better than I do whether I am going to travel by the train myself or whether I am merely making the inquiry on behalf of a cousin who has been spending the week-end with me, and who is at this moment packing her things, so that she could not inquire herself, but sent me to do it for her. Perhaps you'll give a civil answer next time a respectable widow asks you a question, instead of trying to show off what you know!"

"Yes, madam."

Government Sheep Moved

Two Thousand Brought To Lethbridge From Crow's Nest Mountain

The loading of nearly 2,000 sheep, which during the summer have been pastured in the vicinity of Crow's Nest mountain, was completed lately, and they were transported from Sentinel to Lethbridge Experimental Farm via C.P.R. Arthur Newman, assistant superintendent in charge of livestock, stated that the sheep have thrived on the splendid grazing which the mountain ranges afford. Geo. Walker, of Lethbridge, was in charge of the big flock during the summer, and was assisted by H. M. Dingwall.

The Quebec Bridge

The Quebec bridge, world-famous structure spanning the River St. Lawrence, built primarily to carry the tracks of the Canadian National Railways trans-continental line, now enters a new sphere of usefulness through the opening of the bridge to highway traffic. Automobiles and other vehicular traffic are allowed to pass over in daylight hours only, pending completion of the work on approaches. The conversion of the bridge to a highway was carried out by the Government of the province of Quebec and is costing in the neighbourhood of $500,000.

Movie Tone Of Prize Cattle

Movie tone pictures are to be taken of prize-winning Alberta cattle. Mr. R. Ward Jones has announced that the Pathe News people have arranged to take pictures of some of the Holsteins from the C.P.R. Supply Farm at Strathmore, which have won prizes at many exhibitions throughout the West. What is worrying Mr. Jones is how he is going to make them "bawl" for their admirers.

Canada ranks high in production and international trade among the leading commercial nations of the world. In production she leads the world in output of newsprint, nickel, asbestos and cobalt; she occupies second place in the production of wheat and third place in the output of lead and gold.

In export trade she leads the world in exports of wheat, newsprint, nickel, and asbestos; she occupies second place in exports of wheat flour, and third place in exports of wood pulp.

According to most recent comparative statistics available for the calendar year, 1928, Canada occupied fifth position in aggregate trade as also in imports and exports among the leading commercial nations of the world; second position in export and total trade per capita; third place in favorable trade balance and second place in favorable trade balance per capita.

These striking facts are revealed in the thirty-seventh annual report of the department of trade and commerce compiled by F. C. T. O'Hara, deputy minister.

The report reveals a decided trend towards increasing direct trade with foreign countries rather than through the United States or the United Kingdom as formerly; increased percentage of exports of fully or semi-manufactured goods and increased utilization of Canadian ports for both incoming and outgoing trade.

Mainly responsible for this trend in Canada's trade is the subsidizing of steamship lines operating from Canadian ports to South America, Australia, New Zealand, the Fiji Islands, West and South Africa, also to Newfoundland and Canadian coastal routes. New trade treaties with leading commercial nations of the world have also benefitted Canada's foreign trade.

The expenditure on mail subsidies and steamship subventions during the past fiscal year totalled $1,026,375, an increase of $181,782 over the preceding fiscal year. The service to South and West Africa carried over eleven million dollars worth of Canadian goods to ports in those countries during the past fiscal year. During the first seven months that the service to South America was in operation nearly twenty thousand tons of Canadian cargo was carried. Since then the trade on this route has greatly increased.

To keep abreast of the ever-changing tariff regulations of commercial nations of the world, the department has established a foreign tariffs division and inaugurated exporters and importers directories.

Bring Out British Boys

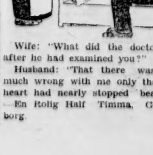
Saskatchewan Government Has Decided To Increase Quota Next Year

Saskatchewan has decided to increase its quota of British boys under the Government aid scheme by which the Imperial, Federal and Provincial Governments, each bear one-third of the cost, according to Hon. J. F. Bryant, who pointed out that during the past year 100 boys have been absorbed under that scheme and that the coming year the quota would be doubled.

Troubles Of An Editor

The late Archbishop Temple was a life-long teetotaler. At a meeting in the country he once had occasion to say "that he had tried all his life to induce men to drink in moderation and had failed utterly." The next morning the local paper reported him as having said: "He had tried all his life to drink in moderation and had failed utterly."

A necklace of bear claws, believed to have been worn by Chief Sitting Bull, has been received by the San Diego Museum.



Wife: "What did the doctor say after he had examined you?"

Husband: "That there was not much wrong with me only that my heart had nearly stopped beating."

—En Rolig Half Timma, Gothenborg.

FREE BABY BOOKS

Write The Borden Co., Limited, Dept. B 41, 140 St. Paul Street W., Montreal, for two Baby Welfare Books.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police have the right to enforce the Manitoba liquor laws, Magistrate Ridyard decided in the case of Alfred Chartrand, at The Pas.

John M. Allen, Brandon, and Lachlan McNeil and James Carruthers, Winnipeg, have been named Manitoba members of the Canadian Farm Loans Board.

While his 'plane dashed to earth in a tail spin, Lieutenant John Seligman, army pilot attached to Mitchell Field, dropped more than 2,000 feet with a parachute and escaped with only a wrenched ankle.

Losses suffered by the government of British Columbia on land settlement schemes launched since the war will total $5,279,000, according to an estimate prepared by special auditors who have been making an intensive investigation of the province's finances.

Canadian surgeons who accepted the fellowship in the American College of Surgeons, included James E. Mason, Stettler, Alberta; Frank P. McNamee, Kamloops; Cyril Stanley Williams, Trail; George P. Bawden, Moose Jaw, and Samuel Harvey Corrigan, Lampman, Saskatchewan.

A noted figure in Canadian military circles died at Quebec in the person of Major-General Alfred O. Pages, former officer in command of the Canadian training camp at Valcartier, Quebec. *At the close of the Great War, Major-General Fages retired on pension.*

Of the candidates examined by the radio branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, during the month of September, those successful in obtaining commercial certificates of proficiency in radio-telegraphy, - included B. W. P. C. Maylor, Vancouver, and L. H. Perras, Regina.

From the Arctic to Cuba by canoe —that is the plan of Charles Planinshik and his two youngsters, Inez, 9, and Anthony, 8. More than six months ago, the family of three went north from The Pas, Man., and since then they have journeyed 3,500 miles by dog sled and canoe.

Direct diplomatic relations between Canada and Japan were established when Hon. Isemaha Tokugawa presented his credentials at Government House, and at the Department of External Affairs. In a brief ceremony the letters of credence were read and the Japanese minister welcomed at Ottawa.

Has Furthered Understanding

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, told the Institute of International Law, at New York, that "Premier MacDonald and President Hoover, in their recent conferences did much more toward furthering an understanding between their nations than could have been done in 40 years of diplomatic procedure.

Regina Building Operations

Building operations in Regina continue uninterrupted. Permits up to the end of September amounted to about $9,000,000, which is more than double the figure for the similar nine month period of last year.

The title of Rabbi is accorded Jewish scholars of eminence as well as o the ministry.

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How To Keep Young

Eat Less, Sleep More, Drink Water, and Laugh

An aged New York man, who has led a busy life, and a good one to boot, offered the following recipe on how to live long:

"When you get old, eat half as much, sleep twice as much, drink three times as much water, and laugh four times as much."

The advice is no doubt good. It recognizes the psychological factor as well as the material. Laughter is one of the most valuable emotions of humanity. It has a physical effect on the body by stimulating certain abdominal muscles, and it has a mental reaction which is a tonic to one's outlook on life.

People growing old, who have not the physical capacity for enjoyment and recreation that they once had, are inclined to sit down and dwell on the past and to contemplate the future somewhat morbidly. The way to keep young while growing older is to read light or amusing literature and to associate with people who have cheerful natures.

As for the other items of advice, it would be well if all young or middle-aged people ate less than they do, slept a bit more and drank more water.

Watch your eating, drinking and sleeping and you will continue young until you are quite old.

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CHIC SEMI-SPORTS TYPE

A swagger dress for semi-sports wear is sketched in army-blue canton crepe. It affects Princess silhouette through molded bodice, that buttons at left side, giving the figure length. The surplice closing also detracts from the width, by softening its line with rever collar with pleated ruffle. Long tight fitting sleeves have turn-back pleated cuffs, to complete this smart lingerie note so important in mode.

It will prove a lovely addition to your new wardrobe, and the small cost will surprise you.

Style No. 729 comes in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust.

Feather-weight tweed in tiny check or diagonal stripe is very attractive in beige and brown, mauve-red or plum shade.

Goya red kashmir jersey or navy blue wool crepe is smart for classroom. Printed jersey also chic.

Black crepe satin is serviceable for general occasions.

Printed novelty rayon crepe, canton crepe in petunia shade, faille silk crepe in hunter's green and crepe Marocain in tobacco brown fashionable.

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British Industries Fair

Canada To Be Well Represented At Fair To Be Held February 17th To 28th

The Deputy British Trade Commissioner announces that the sixteenth annual British Industries Fair will be held next year from February 17th to 28th, inclusive, at London and Birmingham, England. The two sections are complementary to one another, the whole forming the British Industries Fair.

The London section of the fair, which is organized by the British Government Department of Overseas Trade, will be held for the first time in its new home at Olympia. Canadian buyers who have visited the fair in the past will remember that for the last few years it has been held at the White City, in London. Owing to the growth of the fair it has been found that the White City buildings are not now suitable. It has therefore been decided to move the fair to Olympia, which is being especially enlarged for the purpose by the addition of a four-story building. The new building will not actually be completed until the 1931 fair, but two floors, in addition to the existing building, will be ready for occupation by February next. By means of bridging the galleries and other reconstruction work, there will be ready for the forthcoming fair a large two-story building which is believed to be the first of its kind and size in the United Kingdom. Up to the 12th of August last, 800 United Kingdom manufacturers had applied for space at Olympia. Although no definite number is available, it is believed that the applications for space at Birmingham have been made by approximately 500 firms.

The Empire Marketing Board, which is organized under the auspices of His Majesty's Government, will again stage a representative exhibit of food products of the Mother Country, the Dominion and Colonies, and also of the raw materials of the Empire. This exhibit will be given a prominent position on the ground floor of the existing main hall at Olympia. In addition to this there will be a separate exhibit by the Canadian Government, and it is anticipated there will be a representative Canadian Manufacturers' section.

Many Canadian buyers are expected to visit this great national fair. The most prominent British firms in all lines of manufacture will be exhibitors. The exhibits are grouped by *trades, so that a buyer can go to any section in which he is interested* and inspect it without wandering over the whole of the fair building to discover any particular article or firm.

Canadian buyers who visit the fair each year have on numerous occasions drawn attention to the time which they have saved on a visit to the fair. By such a visit they avoid the necessity of having to travel over the United Kingdom to purchase from the various manufacturers in whose goods they are interested. The schedule of exhibits in both the London and Birmingham sections cover practically every article of United Kingdom manufacture. Full information can be obtained from the British Trade Commissioner, 703, Royal Bank Building, Winnipeg, who will be glad to issue invitations on behalf of the British Government to business men who contemplate making the trip.

Research Work Necessary

The investigation of deposits of natural sodium sulphate (Glauber's salt), in Western Canada, by the Mines Branch, Department of Mines, has proven up tonnage of hydrous sodium and magnesium sulphates in excess of 100,000,000 tons. The nature of the salts is such that a large amount of research and experimental work in semi-commercial and commercial plants is necessary in order to devise proper methods of harvesting and drying the salts.

Control Of the Corn Borer

The European corn borer is being brought under control in Ontario, and the grain corn industry is being re-established in the province. The corn borer was first discovered in Canada in 1920. During 1924, 1925, and 1926, it had spread to such an extent that some corn fields had 400,000 borers to the acre. Today, systematic control campaigns, under the Department of Agriculture, have resulted in the re-establishment of the crop.

Alaska can produce 1,500,000 cords of pulpwood annually which can be converted into 1,000,000 tons of newsprint or more than one-fourth of the present yearly consumption of the United States.

"What I want to see," said the girl who didn't receive even honorable mention at the beauty contest, "is a group photograph of the judges' wives."

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SCOTT'S EMULSION

Extra Rich Milk Is Used In Famous Bohemian Cake

Practical foreign recipes are always of interest to the housewife anxious to vary the menu. This molasses cake is decidedly **different**, and yet is easily made if you have extra rich milk on hand. Borden's St. Charles is particularly satisfactory, because it is twice as rich as ordinary milk, taking the place of cream in a cake of this kind. It never varies in quality; consequently you can count on uniform results in every kind of cooking.

Bohemian Molasses Cake

½ cup butter.
2 cups sugar.
1 cup molasses.
½ cup black coffee.
2 eggs.
1 teaspoon baking soda.
¾ cup Borden's St. Charles Milk.
2 cups flour.
1 teaspoon ginger.
Cloves.
Cinnamon.
Allspice.
½ lb. raisins.

Cream together half a cup of butter, a cup of sugar, a cup of molasses, half a cup of black coffee, two yolkes of eggs, and a teaspoon of baking soda, dissolved in one-half cup St. Charles Evaporated Milk. Then add two cups of flour, a teaspoon of ginger, a dash of cloves, cinnamon and allspice, also half a pound of raisins, if desired. Bake rather slowly.

When done and cool, cover with icing as follows: Beat the two whites, pour into them, beating constantly, syrup made by boiling a cup of sugar with a fourth of a cup of Borden's St. Charles Milk.

Collecting Christmas Seals

Within the last few years stamp collectors, not content with the increasing number of new postage stamps issues, have added another item, Christmas seals, to their lists. As time goes on the Christmas seals are said to be increasing rapidly in value, although age does not always determine their worth.

Saskatoon Power Plant

Construction work on the new power plant at Saskatoon, being built by the Provincial Government, at a cost of $2,000,000, is going forward rapidly, and it is expected to be finished by November 15th. This new plant is said to be the most modern in the Prairie Provinces.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

NOVEMBER 3

RESPECT FOR RIGHTFUL AUTHORITY

Golden Text: "Let every soul be in subjection to the higher powers." — Romans 13.1.

Lesson: Mark 12.13-17; Romans 13.1-14; 1 Peter 2.13-17.

Devotional Reading: Matthew 5. 13-20.

Explanations and Comments

• Jesus Teaches Respect For Law. Mark 12.13-17.—The Pharisees had resolved to compass the death of Jesus. How could they accomplish this? They decided to attempt to ensnare Him in His talk, so that they could report something He said as treason, and thus secure from the Roman Governor His death sentence. Craftily keeping themselves in the background, they sent certain Pharisees and Herodians to Him with that object in view. The Herodians were the court party, a small class who resented the Roman rule, but favored the kinship of the house of Herod and meant to be on good terms with the government at any cost. The alliance of Pharisees and Herodians, who hated each other, shows how great was their common hatred of Jesus.

"Teacher," the deputation began, "we know that Thou art true, and carest not for any one; for Thou regardest not the person of men, but of a truth teachest the way of God." By this preamble they meant that the question they were bout to propound was a dangerous one to answer, but they knew He was not afraid of consequences.

Then came the question His enemies wished Him to answer. "Is it lawful to give tribute unto Caesar, or not? Shall we give, or shall we not give?" Caesar was the title given to all Roman emperors; the reigning emperor at this time was Tiberius. The tribute was the yearly tax levied on individuals by the Roman Government. Whatever answer Jesus might give would arouse hostility to Himself, the questioners thought: for if He said that it was lawful to give tribute, the people would condemn Him; and if He said that it was not lawful, He could be reported to Pilate as a rebel.

"Bring me a denarius, that I may see it." Jesus commanded. Strict Jews would not carry a denarius, for they held that the emperor's image upon it savored of idolatry, but one was easily obtainable from the money changers. When it was brought to Him Jesus asked, "Whose is the image and superscription?" "Caesar's," was the answer. "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's." And then Jesus quickly added, "And unto God the things that are God's." While discharging the duties imposed upon them bf human conditions, men must never lose sight of the duties imposed upon them by their relationship to God.

And they marvelled greatly at Him, at the ease with which He gave an answer that was irrefutable and at the same time evaded the difficult position into which they had thought to put Him, and at the way in which He turned the question away from the realm of politics into that of religion.

Polar Bear Favourite At Banff

One of the greatest favourites of visitors to Banff National Park, is the polar bear in the Zoo. He was brought down as a tiny cub from near Herschel Island, in the Canadian Arctic, by an officer of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

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Test Was Successful

Flying Boat Made Hour Flight With 169 People

D.O.-X, huge 12-engined flying boat, which was launched at Altenrhein, Switzerland, last July, has made an amazing one-hour flight with a human load of 169, the first time in the history of aviation that so many persons have been carried into the air on any conveyance. The machine flew over Lake Constance, her motors working perfectly. The D.O.-X. carried 159 passengers and a crew of 10.

The flying boat, which may be used for a trans-Atlantic crossing for the purpose of trying out her capacities, was built in the greatest secrecy. She was designed to carry 40 passengers normally, but has accommodation for 100 if necessary. Her 12 engines can develop a total of 6,000 horsepower and each engine can be treated individually without affecting its neighbors.

The D.O.-X measures 150 feet from tip to tail. Its wings are 10 feet thick and 150 feet from wing tip to wing tip. Six great turrets project from each wing and each turret is equipped with two engines of 500 horsepower. The turrets are manned by mechanics who walk along a passage on the inside of the wings from one turret to another.

When the D.O.-X was launched, last July, she carried 34 tons of weight and was able to get into the air with the greatest ease after a take-off run of only 500 yards. Other trials were similarly successful.

One of the features of the 'plane is her three decks, while another is that the machine can fly with only eight motors in use.

Dr. Dornier built the 'plane at Altenrhein, on the Swiss side of the German-Swiss frontier, because of the limitations on German aircraft imposed by the treaty of Versailles.

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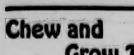

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The Singing Fool

By HUBERT DAIL

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SYNOPSIS

Al Stone, singing waiter at Blackie Joe's New York night club wins fame as a composer of popular songs. He marries Molly Winton, a ballad singer, and makes her famous too. Molly and Al have a baby, Junior, whom Al adores. When Junior is about two years old Molly elopes with John Perry, Al's best friend, taking the baby. For a week there is no trace of them. Al, completely broken by the blow, visits his partner Billy Cline, at the Club Bombo, and declares he must sell out. He is through with Broadway. Just then Al learns from a newspaper article that Molly is at a New York hotel, preparing to sail for France that afternoon. He rushes to the 'phone.

CHAPTER XIX.

"No," said Molly o the maid, "you go on packing—I'll answer."

She picked up the receiver to hear Al's voice.

"Molly, is this you? Is it true you're sailing today?"

Molly's eyes grew cold as ice as a look of intense irritation crossed her face. She turned to Perry, putting her hand over the transmitter, and whispered, "It's Al." Perry started, then Molly answered into the 'phone.

"Yes, it's true. I decided to sail today."

The full force of her cold determination was conveyed to Al in those words. But his voice came vibrating back against her ear.

"Please, Molly, you must let me see Junior before he goes. That's all I ask—you won't refuse that!"

Again Molly signaled quickly to Perry, pointing to Junior. The racketeer jumped up—so Al was trying to spoil their game! Perry made a quick gesture of disapproval and Molly turned back to the 'phone.

"There's hardly time" she said. "We're leaving shortly."

Then it seemed to her that Als voice hardened a little, too.

"The boat sails at six Molly—that gives you time. Remember you've taken Junior from me—and you know what he means to me! He's the only thing I have left to live for. I'll be with him only a few moments—you must grant me that!"

Al waited in an agony of suspense, while Molly did some quick thinking. She knew Al could make trouble for her if he wanted to do it. She didn't think he would, but if she refused this last request he might suddenly turn ugly toward her. She decided to conciliate him. Besides, for a wonder, she suddenly felt just a trifle sorry for him. After all, he had been an awfully good sport during the three years of their marriage, and he did adore Junior.

Then she became aware of Perry's agitated figure; he was pacing up and down in front of her, gesticulating for her to refuse. But she turned to him and said in low firm tones.

"We must do this for him, John. It won't hurt us. And he's been so decent to me."

Perry made a reluctant gesture of acquiescence.

"Do as you like. But you can't afford to have him come here."

"No, of course not." She turned back to the 'phone. "I'll have Junior at the 96th Street entrance to the Park in half an hour."

As Al heard her crisp good-by his face was illuminated with joy at the prospect of seeing his son. It would only be a few moments, but it was something—to hold Junior close once more and hear his baby voice. Al glanced at his watch, then remembered Billy Cline, who was waiting mutely nearby.

"She consets, Billy! I'm to see Junior in half an hour! Now I must hurry along."

Cline wrung his hand and Al picked up his hat and coat.

"We'll go over those accounts later," called Cline as Al hurried away, but Al gave only a hurried wave of the hand in agreement. His thoughts were concentrated on the meeting with his son.

Cline looked after him, shaking his head sadly. It seemed to him that the downfall and complete collapse of Al Stone was imminent all because of Molly.

"If I were in Al's place," thought Billy, "I'd certainly try to nab that woman at the boat and get the child back. But no, he won't do it. He thinks how it might put a stigma on the baby. And I think he loves Molly too much, even now, to do it."

The night club owner gave a sigh, sat down at his desk, and began to go over the accounts of the Club Bombo.

. . . . . Al boarded a taxi and reached the 96th Street entrance ten minutes later. He still had a twenty minute wait, but he wanted to be on the spot ahead of time for this, the most important appointment of his life.

He paced nervously up and down, peering at every limousine that passed. Then, as so often happens when there is so much at stake, imaginative and imaginary fears began to possess him.

What if Molly had lied to him, what if she were stringing him along and even now was hurrying with Junior toward the boat? But just when this fear had become so intense that he thought he couldn't endure it a moment longer, Molly's blue Rolls-Royce approached, came to a stop and the door swung open. Molly wasn't in it; a strange nurse-maid stepped out, leading junior by the hand.

Al rushed forward to clasp his boy in his arms.

As Junior saw Al approaching his little arms opened wide. Then he felt himself caught and lifted high, with his face against his daddy's cheek. Why this was just like home, when his daddy came in at dinner time, to rush into the nursery first thing and embrace him. Yet it was different, in a way, and the sensitive child felt it. His daddy was silent for a long moment as he pressed Junior close to him.

The little boy thought he was crying. . . . But no, Al held him at arm's length and whispered, with radiant face:

"It's wonderful to see you again. Did you miss daddy, Junior?"

Junior nodded. "Awful much. I asked muvver were you was. I asked her all the time."

Again the quick clasping of the little warm body in its heavy blue overcoat. Then Al carried Junior toward one of the benches that stood by the park entrance.

"Let's sit down here, Junior. We can be all alone."

Junior sat on Al's lap, looking up into his face. During these few precious moments Al wanted his child all to himself, out of earshot of the nurse-maid. There she was pacing up and down beside the car, keeping a sharp eye on Junior and his father.

"She's been told to watch me — told I might steal him," thought Al.

How pink Junior's cheeks were and how lovely his curls, escaping in profusion from under his funny little Breton cap. He sat with his tiny, sturdy legs, in leather leggings, spread far apart, studying his father's expression, as if seeking the answer to some question that was bothering his baby mind. Yes, there was something about Junior, a sudden gravity, that convinced Al he knew vaguely that all was not well with the Stone family. It was just a feeling with Junior and he had no words that really expressed it, but he said soberly:

"Daddy, I've missed you lots."

"Have you, Junior?"

"Yes, I have. I wisht you was goin' wiv muvver and me."

Al turned his face away quickly, as if he were studying intently something far down the street. He didn't want Junior to see his expression of extreme unhappiness, and for a moment he could not speak. But as he gained control of himself he said:

"Do you, Junior? So do I. You can't know how much daddy longs to go with you."

"Why can't you go, then?"

Again the sudden staring down the street and the quick return of daddy's warm, loving eyes.

"Because, Junior — well, it's something you wouldn't understand. You'll know some day. . . . But you'll never forget daddy, will you? You'll never forget that daddy loves you every moment and thinks of you and sings to you."

"Never," said Junior, with the certitude of a grown person and a solemn wag of his head. Then he asked:

"Do you feel bad, daddy?"

Al stiffened his quivering lip and managed to summon a smile.

(To Be Continued.)

Many children die from the assaults of worms, and the first care of mothers should be to see that their infants are free from these pests. A vermifuge that can be depended on is Miller's Worm Powders. They will not only expel worms from the system, but act as a health-giving medicine and a remedy for many of the ailments that beset infants, enfeebling them and endangering their lives.

Makes Study Of Indian Languages

Finds Indians Of Northern Canada Have Speech Similar To Navajos Of Arizona

"Believe it or not," but there is a definite language connection between the Hare Indians of Chipewyan and Fort Good Hope, and the Navajo Indians of Arizona.

At least this is the considered opinion of Dr. F. K. Li, graduate of the University of Chicago, and an expert in the gentle art of comparative philology—this latter subject being the study of various languages in reference to one another.

Incidentally, there is a touch of the international in the fact that Dr. Li, of Chinese parentage, should be studying Indian languages in Canada for an American university, but there is nothing particularly remarkable in this, since the Chinese have for ages been considered among the best students of languages.

Dr. Li, this year, has completed three years' study of the language of the Hare Indians of the north, including an intensive study of the various dialects. All last summer he camped with the tribes in and around Fort Chipewyan and Fort Good Hope, and though he may be keenly interested in the Hare Indian language, he hasn't seen anything to rouse his admiration of the Hare Indian as such.

Advocates Washable Suits

Suits which can be taken off and washed when dirty are advocated for men by Professor Leonard Hill. "It would be a valuable reform if men took to washable outer garments," he said in a presidential address to the conference of the Sanitary Inspectors' Association. "Woman has reduced her clothing—all washable—to a weight of two or three pounds, while man continues to over-clothe himself with three or four times that weight."

Restoring the Dead To Life

Australian Scientist Exhibits Remarkable Device At Medical Congress

An Australian scientist has exhibited a device before the Sydney Medical Congress which has restored persons apparently dead. Curiously enough, it is a needle which stimulates the heart muscles with electricity. Whether that will help lead to the solution of life in terms of electricity remains to be seen.

Death, science now teaches us, is an accident to life. Body cells, it has been shown, can be kept alive indefinitely. Again the electricity parallel, for evidently death comes as a short circuit from the so-far intangible conductors in the human body.

But in a few years they may not be intangible. Radio researches have led to a development where the action of nerves can be registered. With that approach via electricity, it is only a matter of time till their energy can be computed in mathematical terms.

Thence, if results are indicated, the research continues into the dispenser of this energy which means life; into the "power house" relations of the digestive functions, the metabolic processes, the heart, brain, glands and spinal nerve bases. Specialists in these various functions have made amazing discoveries. To correlate these discoveries may lead to something more amazing.

Life, we used to be taught is God's secret. But God has no secrets. Our whole conception of Deity is in terms of revelation. Man already knows the spark of life has some relation to the ceaseless, tremendous electronic energy of ether. He may not attain immortality. But he has an excellent chance of broadening into a more glorious realization the life already given him.—Vancouver Sun.

Knew What Was Necessary

Inattentive Pupil Gave Answer To Question As He Knew It

A teacher one day was trying to explain to his class the term booking, as applied to the railway system. "Now," he was saying, "can any of you tell me the name of the office at which railway tickets are sold?" "The booking-office," replied one of the class. "Right," responded the teacher. At this moment his eyes fell on a small boy at the end of the class who was evidently paying very little attention to what was said. "Did you hear that, Dowser?" he asked. "What sir?" asked the boy innocently. "As I thought, you were not listening. We will suppose that your father decided to have a day's holiday and visit the seaside. What would he have to do before he could take his seat in the train?" Without a moment's thought the youngster electrified his teacher by replying, "Pawn his tools."

Will Exhibit At Royal Show

Saskatchewan Plans To Send Live-stock To Toronto

Saskatchewan has plan under way for an exhibit of livestock at the coming Royal Show at Toronto, consisting of about 50 head of horses, six head of cattle, a carload of sheep and a carload of hogs, according to J. G. Robertson, livestock commissioner for that province. In addition to this there will be a number of exhibits of poultry.

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Saskatoon Is Growing

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Anglicising Foreign Names

Many Lose Their Dignity and Become Quite Commonplace.

Foreign names of musicians and composers always seem to be somewhat imposing and sonorous. When they are Anglicised they appear to lose much of their dignity, and become quite commonplace. Guiseppe Verdi becomes in English, Joseph Green, Wagner becomes Cartwright, Bach becomes Brook, and Weber, Weaver. Some names are less common when translated, and while Strauss or Straus, is one of the commonest names in Germany, its translation is Nosegay, which is quite unknown here. Handel means trade or commerce; Haydn, heather; and Himmel, heaven; Loewe is lion; Chersfeini, a little cherub; Rossini, the small red one; Schumann, shoe man, presumably the cobbler; Schonberg, beautiful mountain; Tito Mattei was simply Timothy Matthews, or he would have been so had he been an Englishman with an English name.

GUARD THE CHILDREN FROM AUTUMN COLDS

The Fall is the most severe season of the year for colds—one day is warm, the next cold and wet, and unless the mother is on her guard the little ones are seized with colds that may hang on all winter. Baby's Own Tablets are mothers' best friend in preventing or banishing colds. They act as a gentle laxative, keeping the bowels and stomach free and sweet. An occasional dose of the Tablets will prevent colds, or if it does come on suddenly their prompt use will relieve the baby. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

British Census Takers Do Work Thoroughly

Chief Appointed To See That No One Escapes Count

Giant maps are now being prepared for the use of census takers in England and Wales, in 1931. These maps show every street and alley and court in the land and the whole country is split up into 50 areas. A census chief is appointed to each section, and has the responsibility of seeing that nobody escapes the count.

Even the gypsies and the vagrants on the road are "trapped" on census night by policemen specially detailed.

With 40,000,000 persons due to be counted, the census form goes into every house, every workhouse, every hospital, every prison and every casual ward and lodging house.

Important information will be extracted from the figures which will shed a light on the constantly changing conditions of the lives and habits of the nation.

Waste Land Scarce

Very Little In Canada Which Is Really Unproductive

The announcement that the Dominion Government will attempt the breeding of reindeer in the so-called barren lands makes one wonder if there is any area in Canada that can be set down as barren or waste. Step by step we have seen our unproductive areas converted into sources of wealth for our people.

The rock-bound waste of our northland, the Cinderella of Canadian territories, is now a petted princess, the pre-Cambrian area.

The wall of mountains between the western plains and the Pacific slope is rapidly becoming one of the world's greatest tourist areas.

And now we propose to establish a reserve food supply on the tundra of the Arctic fringe.

Truly there is no waste land in Canada.—Financial Post.

Empress Hotel To Be Enlarged

Apropos of the increasing popularity of Victoria as a winter resort it is officially reported that the new 280-room wing of the Empress Hotel will be complete in all details before Christmas—probably by December 15th.

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Little Helps For This Week

"And now I exhort you to be of good cheer."—Acts xxvii. 22.

Make me as one that casteth not by day
A dreary shadow, but reflecting aye
One little beam, loved, warmed, and golden caught
From the bright sun that lights our daily way.

You find yourself refreshed by the presence of cheerful people; why not make earnest efforts to confer that pleasure on others? You will find half the battle is gained if you will never allow yourself to say anything gloomy.—Lydia M. Child.

Giant British Airship

Trials Of the R-101 Said To Be Most Successful

Great Britain's giant new dirigible R-101, largest in the world, has been granted her "air worthiness" certificate after her successful 300-mile flight.

The anxiety which was felt in many quarters about her navigability, before she went into the air, is said now to be entirely dispelled. The experiments made in her construction are considered a success.

It was stated that the initial trip was probably the most economical ever made by a dirigible so far as gas is concerned.

Experts looked forward to flights soon of the R-100, sister ship, and comparable to the R-101 in size and probable performance.

Turner Valley Oil Wells

There about 90 separate oil well operations under way in the Turner Valley in addition to 29 producing wells, the latter having a monthly output of 122,000 barrels, valued at in excess of $5,000,000 per year. The monthly payroll of he 1,110 men employed runs to $250,000.

Increase Fort Facilities

The city authorities of New Westminster, B.C., are applying to have the deep sea ship channel from the city to the sea deepened sufficiently to meet the requirements of any ship operating on the Pacific.

Corns cripple the feet and make walking a torture, yet sure relief in the shape of Holloway's Corn Remover is within reach of all.

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The Oyen News

Prize Fight Opera Premiere

When the English Music and Folk Dance Festival is held at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, from November 13 to 18, the spot light will be turned on the first performance on this continent on November 15 of "Hugh the Drover", opera by Dr. Ralph Vaughan Williams, one of the greatest of modern composers. Written around early 19th century scenes in an English village, the costumes are picturesque and the setting is peculiarly suited to the folkmusic which inspired the composer. The unique feature of the opera is the great prize fight between the hero and the villain, the stakes being the hand of the heroine. This is one of the most realistic scenes ever put on any stage, and is a fight from start to knock-out. The cries of the crowd, the staccato singing of the principal, the exhortations of the backers of the two men are blended with orchestral effects in an ensemble that is a tour de force of modern musical representation, leaving the audience breathless and as excited as if they were spectators gathered around the ring, in one of the most remarkable curtains ever seen on the theatre. The part of Hugh is to be played by Allan Jones, a brilliant tenor of Welsh extraction, who has been starring in the Deauville Opera and the Opera Comique of Paris. Cut shows grouping of the players just before commencement of the fight, with Hugh in the centre and his opponent stripped for action at left. Inset shows Allan Jones.

About Town and Country

A masquerade dance will be held in Oyen Theatre on Halloween night, Thursday, October 31.

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Next meeting of the Ladies Aid, will be held on November 7, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Affleck. Lunch committee: Mrs. W. F. Pratt, Mrs. C. P. Synder and Mrs. W. H. Peterson.

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Mrs. Gus Schmitt left last Sunday morning for Montreal, en route to England where she will visit relatives.

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Mr. F. A. Garrett returned to Oyen yesterday from Calgary to assume his duties as driller-in-charge at the Fuego.

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During the present week lower temperatures have prevailed, thermometers registering 20 degrees of frost in the early hours of the morning. At about 10 a.m. this morning snow commenced to fall and continued into the afternoon. Probs for to-morrow are somewhat milder.

Heath's representative will be at J. J. Purcell's store with a full line of Ladies Dresses and Coats, on Wednesday, November 6.

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Alex. A. McTavish R.O., Sight Specialist will make his regular monthly visit to the Hotel in Oyen, on Thursday, November 7. Dependable eyesight service at reasonable prices.

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An armistice service will be held in All Saints Church, Oyen on Monday, November 11 at 10.45 a.m. All are cordially invited.

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Mr. W. R. MacMaster, who has been driller in charge at the Fuego well since operations commenced there last spring, left yesterday for Ontario.

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The C.W.L. will hold their annual bazaar, sale of home cooking and afternoon tea, on Saturday, November 23, in the Case show room.

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The Women's Guild of All Saints Church will hold their annual bazaar and sale of home cooking on the first Saturday in December. (December 7).

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Mrs. A. O. MacArthur, who has been spending a holiday here visiting her husband, left yesterday to return to her home in Toronto.

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Mr. C. L. Wilson, of Sibbald, is in Oyen Hospital with a broken leg, sustained when tossed by a bull on Sunday evening. He is reported to be making as satisfactory progress as can be expected.

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To-morrow evening is Hallowe'en, and it is to be hoped that the activities of the youngsters will be confined to harmless pranks. Last year the town was singularly free from objectionable behaviour on the part of the goblins, spooks and witches, and it is expected the young people will do nothing to spoil the good reputation they won last year.

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WEDDING

LABELLE—HART

The wedding of Mr. Henri O. LaBelle, of Oyen, youngest son of Col. A. M. LaBelle, of Montreal, P.Q., and Miss Wilhelmina Hart, daughter of Mrs. Mary Hart of Oyen, was solemnized in Sacred Heart Church, Oyen, on Monday, October 28, 1929, at 9 o'clock a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. LaBelle will spend a brief honeymoon in Calgary, and on their return will make their home in Oyen.

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Delegates from the Canadian Chambers of Commerce who have been travelling extensively in the west of Canada, mainly over Canadian Pacific lines, have through their national committee reiterated their stand in favor of a continuance of assisted immigration of selected British settlers of a desirable type to Canada.

Charles Reid, of the Banff Springs Golf Club, won the Prince of Wales golf trophy, famous and coveted prize of goldom, from a field of 427 competitors recently. His score was 144 net, his handicap being 17. This is the first time in the history of the competition that the cup has gone to a Banff player, Calgary golfers having taken it to that city on each of the four former competitions.

Canada's reindeer industry takes a big forward step this year with the trek of 3,000 northern animals from Alaska into the Dominion. In November this herd, secured by Canada from the United States herds in Alaska, will begin a trek which will take 18 months and will land the animals in 1931 on the Arctic coast east of the Mackenzie river.

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